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The House Tariff Bill Tabled in the Senate.

The Legislative Appropriation Bill Under Consideration in the House.

WASHINGTON, March 1, 1875.

SENATE.

Credentials of Senator-elect Christiancy.

The Vice President laid before the Senate the credentials of J. P. Christiancy, Senator-elect from Michigan. Read and placed on file.

The House Force Bill.

The Clerk of the House appeared at 12:20, with the bill to provide against the invasion of States to prevent the subversion of their authority, and to maintain the security of elections, known as the Force bill, and announced its passage by the House.

Mr. EDMUNDS asked that the bill be read the first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. HAMILTON, of Maryland, objected to its reference. After the expiration of the morning hour, under the twenty-fourth rule, the Vice President overruled the objection, and debate followed.

Mr. BAYARD appealed from the decision of the Chair, but subsequently withdrew his appeal.

The bill was then read by its title. Messrs. BAYARD, THURMAN and others objected to the second reading to-day, and it remains on the Vice President's table till to-morrow.

Several bills reported by the Committee on Commerce were passed during the morning hour, among them the Senate bill to promote economy and efficiency in the marine hospital service; the Senate bill to authorize the construction of a postoon wagon bridge across the Mississippi river at or near the city of Dubuque, Iowa; the Senate bill to authorize the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi river at or near Grand Chain; the House bill for the further security of navigation on the Mississippi river; and the House bill giving the consent of the United States to the erection of a bridge across the Arkansas river at Pine Bluff, Ark.

Tax and Tariff.

At the expiration of the morning hour the Senate resumed consideration of the Tax and Tariff bill.

Mr. SHERMAN opposed the bill. During his speech he said he did not believe an advance in the tax on whisky would yield any more revenue to the Government, but would give a bounty to holders of whisky. The very moment this bill passed the distillation of whisky would be stopped until the price of it reached $1.15 per gallon. He favored granting authority to the President and Secretary of the Treasury to suspend work on public buildings or the expenditure of any appropriation, when in their judgment the public interest required it. Any increase of the tobacco tax would be treating dealers badly, as remonstrances were before the Senate against such an increase, and should be heeded. Congress had fixed this tax two years ago, and should not interfere with it again now. He opposed the internal revenue system, and had hoped Congress at the present session would wipe out the whole system of stamp tax, &c., leaving only the tax on whisky and tobacco. He favored the tax on tea and coffee, and said if that tax had not been taken off we would have had no trouble now with our finances.

Messrs. SCOTT and FRELINGHUYSEN favored the bill.

Conferences.

Mr. SARGENT, from the committee of conference on the Legislative, Executive and Judicial appropriation bill, reported that the committee had been unable to agree, and asked for a new conference, which was granted.

The Senate insisted on its amendments to the bill to regulate the removal of causes from State Courts to the Circuit Court of the United States, and a committee on conference was ordered.

The Tariff Bill.

Mr. JOHNSTON submitted an amendment to the Tariff bill, so as to provide that the increase of the tax on tobacco shall only apply to tobacco manufactured after the passage of this act.

Mr. BOGY opposed the bill, and said the object of it was to raise money for the sinking fund. If the current receipts were properly expended there would be no deficiency at the end of the fiscal year.

The amendment of Mr. Johnson, providing that the increased tobacco tax should only apply to tobacco manufactured after the passage of this act was agreed to—yeas 28, nays 26.

Mr. SARGENT submitted an amendment to strike out the first and second sections, providing for the levying and collection of a tax of ten cents per pound on all kinds of coffee and two cents per pound on all kinds of tea.

Mr. JONES moved to lay the bill on the table. Agreed to—ayes 30, nays 29.

Adjourned.

HOUSE.

Louisiana Affairs.

This morning, in accordance with the agreement on Saturday night, the reading of the journal was dispensed with. After the passage, by unanimous consent, of two bills—one providing for the filling of vacancies in the Pay Department, and the other authorizing the appointment of three additional gaugers for Philadelphia—Mr. HOAR moved to suspend the rules and to take up and agree as to the resolution of the Louisiana Select Committee recognizing Kellogg, and recommending the House to take measures to reseat the members of the Legislature.

The House refused to suspend the rules. Ayes 124, noes 85.

Mr. HOAR then moved to suspend the rules so as to divide the resolutions and take a separate vote on each. Carried—ayes 172, noes 85.

The resolution in regard to reseating the members of the Legislature was then agreed to without division.

Mr. HOAR then moved the adoption of the resolution sustaining the Kellogg Government. Carried—ayes 163, noes 89.

Messrs. Pierce (Mass.), Sener and Smith (Va.) were the only Republicans voting No.

The Deficiency Bill.

Mr. GARFIELD, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the Deficiency bill, appropriating $1,800,000. Ordered printed.

Army Appropriation.

The Senate amendments to the Army Appropriation bill were non-concurred in, and were sent to a Conference Committee.

Military Academy.

The conference report on the Military Academy Appropriation bill was presented and agreed to.

Indian Appropriation.

The Senate amendments to the Indian Appropriation bill were presented and acted on. The amendments, eighty-six in number, were voted on one by one.

The first of them on which any question was raised was the sixty-second, appropriating $15,000 for the expense of the Indian Peace Commissioners, serving without compensation. After debate it was concurred in—yeas 144, nays 75.

The recommendations of the Committee on Appropriations on all other amendments were agreed to, and the bill was then sent to the Conference Committee.

Legislative Appropriation.

Mr. GARFIELD, from the conference committee on the Legislative, Executive and Judicial appropriation bill, reported that the committee had been unable to agree, the point of disagreement being on the item as to the pay of certain clerks of the House.

Mr. HOLMAN moved that the House recede from its action in the matter and concur with the Senate.

Mr. RANDALL insisted on the propriety of the House having control of its own immediate affairs, and said that the proposition of the Senate was to cut down the pay of officers of the House below that of corresponding officers of the Senate.

After discussion Mr. Holman's motion was rejected, and a new conference committee was appointed, consisting of Messrs. Parker (Mo.), Fort and Randall.

Sundry Civil Appropriation.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole (Mr. Hoskins in the chair) and resumed consideration of the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill, the pending question being on the amendment offered by Mr. Butler (Mass.), appropriating $5,000 for the expenses of the suit for the recovery of Rancho Panoche Grande, in California, the McGarahan claim against the New Idria Mining Company.

Mr. GARFIELD renewed the point of order against the amendment, but the point was overruled.

A sharp debate followed, and at its close the question was put on the adoption of the amendment, and tellers being ordered, reported 100 in the affirmative and 56 in the negative; so the amendment was adopted.

The committee rose without making further progress on the bill, and then, after the delivery of eulogies on the late Senator Buckingham by Messrs. Starkweather, Kellogg, Hawley (Conn.), Wilson (Iowa) and Potter, the House took a recess till 7:30, to go on then with the appropriation bills.

EVENING SESSION.

The House again went into Committee of the Whole (Mr. Hoskins in the chair) on the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill. A discussion took place on the item for the support in the insane asylum of the District of Columbia, of the insane of the army and navy who have become insane "from causes arising during their service within three years after leaving the service."

A motion was made to amend the paragraph so as to admit all persons who have become insane since their entry into the service. Agreed to.

On a motion of Mr. GARFIELD, of Ohio, an item of $8,500 was inserted for the relief of the suffering poor of the District of Columbia.

Quite a long and noisy discussion took place over an item appropriating $75,000 for the conversion and rifling of heavy guns, and allowing the expenditure for the same purpose of another $100,000 out of former appropriations. The last portion of the paragraph was eventually struck out.

The item of $385,000 for the expenses of the Signal Service being under discussion, and Mr. WADDELL, of North Carolina, having moved to increase by adding $30,000 for the extension of the service to the Atlantic coast south of Cape Hatteras, Mr. GARFIELD warned the friends of the service of the danger of making it so costly that there will be a reaction against it.

Mr. Waddell's amendment was adopted.

Mr. HUNTON moved to add to the signal service a system for observation in regard to public health, and said that General Myer, the head of the bureau, was in favor of it. Rejected.

HARRISBURG.

The Resolution to Investigate the State Treasury Passed by the House.

A Large Number of Bills on First Reading.

Special to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 1, 1875.

SENATE.

Bills on First Reading.

An act for the protection of fish in the State.

An act to prohibit market stands on public highways of cities of the first class within five squares of any incorporated market house.

An act relating to landlords and tenants of dwelling houses belonging to owners or operators of coal mines.

An act providing for the making and repairing of public roads in the different townships of the Commonwealth.

An act to secure a stricter accountability of certain public officers in the counties in the Commonwealth.

An act authorizing County Commissioners to select newspapers for official county advertising.

A further supplementary act regulating elections in this Commonwealth.

An act to empower water companies, gas companies and bridge companies to merge their corporate rights and franchises into other incorporated companies.

An act to fix the standard weight of bark used for tanning purposes.

An act to provide for the education and maintenance of destitute orphans of deceased soldiers and sailors and destitute children of permanently disabled soldiers and sailors of the State.

A joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Commonwealth to procure volumes of the proprietary family of Pennsylvania, held by the Historical Society, for publication as part of the colonial records.

A supplementary act to provide for the incorporation of certain corporations, and relative to the bonus to be paid by corporations upon a renewal of their charters.

An act relating to judgments and decrees by a divided court.

An act authorizing Courts of Common Pleas to prescribe by rules Court cases in which affidavits of the defence may be required, and the time and manner in which judgments shall be taken for the want of affidavits of defence.

An act authorizing common carriers, factors, commission merchants and other persons to sell goods, wares, merchandise, baggage, and other property, unclaimed or perishable, upon which they have liens.

A supplementary act extending the act of May 16th, 1874, to passenger railway companies, validating all acts done or proceedings had by any passenger railway company under such act and supplement.

An act fixing the time for the organization of municipal governments and the inauguration of Mayors for all cities of the Commonwealth.

An act repealing an act to regulate the election of school directors in sub-districts in Pittsburgh.

A supplementary act relating to liens of mechanics and others upon buildings.

An act to authorize shareholders in incorporated bridge companies to cast one vote for each share of stock at all elections held by such companies.

An act to fix monthly return days in Courts of the Commonwealth.

An act to prevent fraud or fraudulent practices upon or by hotel keepers or boarding house keepers.

HOUSE.

Bills Read in Place.

By Mr. CHRISTY—An act relating to the ventilation of bituminous coal mines.

Also a petition of citizens of Pittsburgh asking for the repeal of the act of March 28th, 1867, relating to foreign insurance companies as imposes a tax of three per centum upon premiums.

An act asking the establishment of a State Board of Health.

An act for the taxation of dogs and the protection of sheep.

The State Treasury.

Mr. REIGHARD again called up the Smith (Berks) resolution to investigate the State Treasury.

An amendment offered to commit the investigation to the Auditor General was voted down.

Dilatory motions were made, and motions to adjourn were voted down. The previous question was called, on which less than a quorum of the House voted, many members refusing to vote. A call was then ordered and the Sergeant-at-Arms requested to close the doors.

The resolution to investigate the State Treasury passed finally—yeas 89, nays 66.

Salaries of County Officers.

Mr. GRAHAM read in place an act fixing the salaries of county officers of Philadelphia, Luzerne and Allegheny, doing away with all fees.

Adjourned.

ST. LOUIS.

A Libel Case Under the Poland "Press Gag" Law.

ST. LOUIS, March 1.—A. C. Buell, arrested some days ago in accordance with instructions from Washington for publishing in the Detroit *Free Press* last winter an alleged libel on Senator Chandler, of Michigan, was before United States Commissioner Enos Clark to-day, and by him remanded into the custody of the United States Marshal, Newcomb, to be transferred by him to the District of Columbia. James A. Broadhead, counsel for the defendant, applied this afternoon to Judge Treat, of the United States District Court, for a writ of *habeas corpus*, which was granted, returnable in three days, when the case will be argued in accordance with the stipulations agreed upon by the counsel, as follows: First, the jurisdiction of the Courts of the District of Columbia over the offense charged in the indictment; second, the sufficiency of the indictment to charge the offense of libel when in the jurisdiction of the District of Columbia; third, the applicability of the thirty-third section of the judiciary act of cases arising in the District of Columbia, and more especially the applicability of said thirty-third section in the case, including also the question of the right of said County Commissioner to issue a warrant heretofore issued in this case, and his right to order the removal of the defendant to the District of Columbia for trial.

LOUISIANA.

The Committee of Seventy Opposed to the Wheeler Compromise.

NEW ORLEANS, March 1.—At a special meeting of the Committee of Seventy, this evening, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That in the opinion of the Committee of Seventy the members of the Legislative caucus who have voted to accept the Wheeler proposition do not reflect the views and wishes of a vast majority of the Democratic-Conservative people of the State.

Resolved, That this Committee deem the Wheeler compromise unwise and impolitic, utterly subversive of the rights and principles for which we have been so long contending.

Resolved, That we adjure those members of the United States Senate, who are friendly to the cause of Lousiana, to oppose by all means in their power the passage of the joint resolution recognizing the Kellogg government.

Resolved, That we announce on behalf of the Democratic-Conservative people of Louisiana our unalterable resolution to continue to oppose the Kellogg Government and to prosecute the Louisiana cause before Congress and the people of the United States regardless of the action of those members of the Conservative caucus who have voted to accept the Wheeler compromise.

The Duane Street Calamity.

NEW YORK, March 1, 1875.

Solemn requiem mass was celebrated this morning at St. Peter's Church for the repose of the souls of the persons who lost their lives by the Duane street calamity on Thursday night. The church was crowded. The Coroner began his inquiry to-day.

SECOND EDITION

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Complexion of the New Senate.

Public Debt Statement.

Reduction During February $6,680,183.

Special to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

WASHINGTON, March 1, 1875.

The New Senate.

There have been several erroneous classifications of the new Senate, founded upon imperfect knowledge of the present political status of certain new Senators, and a failure to remember that "Liberal" Senators have all been retired. A letter has been received here from Angus Cameron, the new Senator from Wisconsin, in which he says: "I am and always have been a Republican and have no desire now to change my principles. In accepting the nomination, I did not sacrifice my political standing in the least." Hon. H. J. Tilden, of San Francisco, informs your correspondent that Newton Booth, the new California Senator, has always been a Republican, but that he now affiliates with the "Independents" in that State. The State Committee of that organization held a meeting a few days since, attended by Gov. Booth, in which they resolved to nominate a full ticket next fall. Senator Booth then may be considered as entirely independent of either party in the Senate. The political status of all the other Senators is well known. Of the seventy-three Senators now entitled to seats,

Forty-Four

are straight Republicans, twenty-seven regular Democrats, while Senator Johnson, of Tennessee, may be regarded as an independent Democrat, and Senator Booth an independent Republican, though in matters relating to the integrity of the Union, they will both certainly vote with the straight Republicans. But without counting them, the Republicans will have the fair working majority of seventeen (17), which the admission of Senator Pinchback will bring up to eighteen (18).

The "Liberal" element has been entirely eliminated by the defeat of Senators Fenton, Tipton, Sprague and Schurz, and the return of Senator Hamilton, of Texas, to the regular Republican ranks.

The exact position to be taken by Andrew Johnson is a subject of some speculation. He represents the Union element of Tennessee, while his colleague, Mr. Cooper, was elected as a Democrat in opposition to him. Senator Johnson will, of course, control the Senatorial patronage of his state, and having no great amount of good will towards the Democracy, is not likely to help the party overmuch. Taken all together, the new Senate may be pronounced quite satisfactory. To be sure the Republican majority is somewhat smaller than the nominal majority in the present Senate; but the party lines will be drawn tighter, and the disturbing and impracticable "liberal" element will be out of the way, so that measures to promote the best interests of the whole country may be carried through more easily than heretofore.

WASHINGTON, March 1, 1875.

The Public Debt.

The following is a synopsis of the public debt statement for the month ending February 28:

Six per cent. bonds	$1,151,992,500
Five per cent. bonds	572,137,750
Total coin bonds	$1,724,130,250
Lawful money debt	$14,678,000
Matured debt	3,779,670
Legal tenders	382,072,147
Certificates of deposit	45,855,000
Fractional currency	44,904,963
Coin certificates	22,269,400
Total without interest	$495,101,511
Total debt	$2,242,889,431
Total interest	26,426,738
CASH IN TREASURY.	
Coin	$75,766,803
Currency	10,319,097
Special deposits held for redemption of certificates of deposit	45,855,000
Total in Treasury	$131,800,181
Debt less cash in Treasury	$2,137,318,989
Decrease of debt during February	6,680,183
BONDS ISSUED TO PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANIES, INTEREST PAYABLE IN LAWFUL MONEY.	
Principal outstanding	$64,623,512 00
Interest accrued and not yet paid	646,235 12
Interest paid by United States	26,264,102 34
Interest repaid by the transportation of mails, &c.	5,424,214 29
Balance of interest paid by United States	20,539,888 05

Another Arctic Expedition.

It is proposed to provide a small sum in the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill for an Arctic expedition. The Secretary of the Navy favors it, also a number of Senators and members of the Navy Department. It will be authorized in the bill to provide and fit a proper ship, and to man it with officers and men already under pay and waiting sea duty. The extra expense will not be more than $50,000, but it is proposed to make action by the Government contingent on private subscriptions to the amount of $25,000. The President of the Geographical Society says it will heartily co-operate in any expedition, whether undertaken by the Government or private enterprise.

The Deficiency Bill

reported to-day appropriates $1,760,000. Of this sum $3,771 are to defray the expenses of Speaker Blaine in resisting the false imprisonment suit of James B. Stewart, a witness in the Credit Mobilier case. $450,000 are conditionally appropriated for the payment of Postoffice clerks, and $300,000 for the adjustment of salaries of Postmasters under the act of 1874. The remainder of the appropriation is divided among many other objects.

Coupon Bonds Called In.

The Secretary of the Treasury to-day called in $1,000,000 coupon bonds of the issues of 1862, upon which interest will cease June 1, 1875. The bonds are embraced within the numbers following: fifty dollar bonds, from No. 8,351 to 10,000; one hundred dollar bonds, from 23,101 to 27,500; five hundred dollar bonds, from No. 11,101 to 13,600; one thousand dollar bonds, from No. 32,701 to 39,000.

THE STORM.

Railway Travel Nearly Suspended in Michigan.

DETROIT, March 1.—The most severe snow storm this winter commenced last night, accompanied by a heavy east wind. The snow, which continued falling during the night, changed to fine sleet this morning, and continued during the day, with no prospect of abatement. The storm has extended over the whole lower portion of the State to such an extent as to almost and on some railroads entirely, to prevent the running of trains. The mail and day express on the Michigan Central arrived here three hours late. All other trains have been abandoned with the exception of an express each way to-night, which will make an attempt to get through. The Detroit & Milwaukee road had been unable to get any trains over its road to-day. The Grand River Valley between Jackson and Grand Rapids are blocked by snow, only one train, which left Grand Rapids on that road this morning, and was compelled to return, being unable to get through the snowdrift. Trains on the Flint & Pere Marquette Railway, between this city and East Saginaw, are making poor progress, with but little chance of getting through to-night. No trains arrived at East Saginaw over that road to-day. Trains on the Northern division of that road, between East Saginaw and Ludington, are running on time, the storm not having extended north of the latter place. There was no snow at Read City or Livingston to-day. Trains on the Chicago and Michigan Lake Shore, between Kalamazoo and Muskego, are entirely suspended. Trains on the Grand Trunk between this city and Port Huron are from four to five hours late, with a prospect of trains to-night being canceled. Although the snow has not fallen to a depth of over eight inches, the fine sleet, which has fallen to a depth of about six inches, has impeded railroad travel throughout the State.

FROM EUROPE.

SPAIN.

The Gustav Affair.

MADRID, March 1.—The Minister of Foreign Affairs having, without consulting his colleagues in the Ministry, sent a circular note to the powers contesting the justice of some of the demands of Germany, in regard to the Gustav affair, and having also taken other steps upon his own responsibility, the Cabinet Council has taken these acts into consideration.

FRANCE.

The Cabinet Troubles.

PARIS, March 1.—M. Buffet, President of the Assembly, will endeavor to form a new Ministry.

THE BEECHER TRIAL.

The Opening Address for the Defense Concluded.

Henry C. Bowen Interviewed by a Reporter.

NEW YORK, March 1, 1875.

The Brooklyn City Court room was filled again this morning. Judge Nielson was early in his place, and was looking fresh and full of spirits, chatting familiarly with those in his immediate neighborhood. Tilton sat behind his chief counsel, ex-Judge Beach. The defendant and his wife occupied their usual seats, and with them were seated Col. Beecher's wife and Professor Raymond. Mrs. Tilton and her friends were absent.

Shortly after the opening of the Court, General Tracy continued his address. He had shown them, he said, that after the Woodhull publication, Mr. Beecher, by the advice of his mutual friend, Francis D. Moulton, had accepted the policy of silence. In 1870 Tilton's difficulties with Bowen arose, and were augmented, so Tilton says, by Mr. and Mrs. Beecher. On December 26 the charges against Beecher were made, and it was then determined to suppress them. Bowen promised to support Tilton in his charges against Beecher, and got him to take the letter to him, but Bowen, after this, became Tilton's enemy. Two days after this Tilton found himself deserted by Bowen, and had made himself inimical to Beecher. The next day Moulton comes and carries away all the letters, not as an emblem of war, but one of peace. The only criticism to be passed on defendant was that, having accepted

The Policy of Silence,

he endeavored faithfully to carry it out. Tilton himself was then covered all over with stories of scandal, those raised by Bessie Turner, and by his wife threatening to leave him for his infidelities and cruelties to her. These stories must be suppressed at any cost. Bessie Turner was compelled to sign a retraction of her stories, in order to stop the stories, and she was sent away to prevent her tattling, and so her stories were suppressed, and she was led to believe that the stories must be denied. Tilton's manner of conducting the affair was to make the statements and publish them, while Moulton's way was to preserve silence and allow other parties to make the statements. With Beecher,

Silence Was Duty,

but with Moulton and Tilton it was only policy, and they took these means to keep the scandal alive. The failure of the *Golden Age* had blasted the hopes of Tilton, and he was compelled to look for other avenues of success. The money drawn from Bowen in April, 1872, was all expended on his paper; he would show that the friends of Tilton applied in December, 1872, to the friends of Beecher and advised them to buy the New York *Express*, which was then for sale, and for Beecher to take charge of it, while Mr. Tilton should go abroad for some months, and when he came back to take a foremost place on the editorial staff of that paper. Not only were these meetings held in this city, but also in New York, and twice at the Union League Club. This, gentlemen, was nothing but

A Scheme for Blackmailing Beecher.

Counsel would show them so by a witness who was known throughout this country almost as well as the defendant himself. Here was a letter, said to be from a "Complaining Friend," which was a fiction invented by Tilton, and never received by him. The letter in the opening says: "Thanks for your good letter of bad advice." This letter ended with a threat that if he should speak it would send a thunderbolt through other parts. Was this letter published, if not as a threat of exposure, to Beecher's friends. Moulton and Tilton had not destroyed the letters, as they promised, and were now using them as a means of threat and menace to Beecher, and about this time, I am reminded by my associate, Tilton had drawn his last dollar out of Woodruff & Robinson. Well, gentlemen, the summer passed, and Beecher still occupied his pulpit and Tilton had found no employment.

Counsel then went back to Tilton's threatened publication in the *Golden Age* against Bowen and Beecher. We will show you that Tilton endeavored to have this statement of his published secretly in such a manner that it would appear he had nothing to do with it. We will show you he had an interview on the matter with McKelvy of the Brooklyn *Eagle*, in which Tilton told McKelvy that

His Charges Against Beecher

were those of improper proposals to his wife, but that she resisted them. Tilton did not like to give the paper to McKelvy, but suggested it should come to him through another party. They went to John W. Harmon's house, who was not in, and a letter with the article enclosed was left in Mr. Harmon's house; but the article was not then published, and did not appear until the following April in the Brooklyn *Sunday Press*. At the time of this publication Tilton's account with Woodruff & Robinson was closed. The day after it appeared in print he drew his last cent. They had also heard from Moulton of an offer made by another party of money for the *Golden Age*, and when it was not taken, why did they exhibit it to Beecher? Francis D. Moulton did not act as a highwayman or robber, who cries

"Stand and Deliver."

But he held this money in his hand, and said to Beecher: "My God, isn't this friendship? That is what I call the act of a friend," and Moulton knew afterward he was not taking the loose money of Beecher, but that he mortgaged his house to receive it. He gave it to Moulton, and then came a letter from Tilton, containing the words: "Grace, mercy and peace," and then Tilton kept on for one year drawing the five thousand dollars from Moulton, as had been shown. Then Moulton told us he never was in the habit of lending Tilton money, that he lent him altogether about one thousand dollars of his own money.

Counsel would show them that in May, 1874, this friend of Tilton's goes to a friend of Beecher's and demands another five thousand dollars, but they must not forget that the original demand was for ten thousand dollars, but was compromised ultimately for five thousand dollars. The *Golden Age* was still in Tilton's hands, bankrupt and useless. Tilton was ready to give it away, and was absolutely begging for some person to take it.

Of all these interviews between his friends and those of Beecher with regard to newspaper enterprises Tilton was informed. Counsel would show them that Tilton knew of the negotiations going on with Beecher and countenanced them, and also that the Bacon letter was then in preparation. This

Second Scheme to Obtain Money

was denounced by Beecher's friends as a blackmailing operation, and they advised that not a cent should be given. Tilton's friends then said "We will publish the Bacon letter." The money was not paid and consequently the Bacon letter was published. The publication of the tripartite agreement, which was an accident, was to be charged to Beecher. On May 1st Beecher was summoned to an interview in the Remsen street study, when the publication of the story was threatened. Beecher had stood their threats and charges for four long years, and now Beecher, who was put in the position by the indiscreet conduct of a friend, defied them, and when they used their threats, he told them to

Let the Storm Come.

On the following Saturday he went there and told them that he welcomed a conflict, but would not drag his church into it, as he would resign. When a letter of resignation was shown Moulton it nearly took his breath away, and he told Tilton they were both amazed at the temerity of a man whom they both expected to lead around for some time. On June 1st he indited that letter, when he expected to preach his last sermon. This letter told Moulton that if he published the Bacon letter he (Beecher) would also publish a statement that would stand the test of Judgment Day. When Beecher wrote that letter, containing an inference that he thought he was going to preach his last sermon in Plymouth Church, Moulton sent a letter in reply, telling Beecher not to be afraid, that if the whole story were published to-morrow he (Beecher) could stand; and yet Moulton, when on the witness stand, tells a story covering a period of three years previous, when Beecher was confessing his crime. When they heard the defendant's story and took it in connection with this letter of Moulton's, they would reject the testimony given by Moulton.

The counsel had taken the precaution of counting the number of times, on the cross-examination of Moulton, when he said: "I don't know" when asked about any questions to which he did not want to make a reply, and he had said those, or words similar, exactly three hundred and five times, and yet Moulton had

Not a Defective Memory.

He could tell what was the subject of Mrs. Woodhull's address in the Steinway Hall meeting on cross-examination, and he was able to repeat the words of Mr. Tilton introducing her with as much exactness as they were published in the short-hand report which appeared of the proceedings on that occasion in the *World*.

A recess was here taken.

After the counsel referred to the testimony of Mrs. Moulton relative to a long interview with Beecher at her house, he said the subject of this pretended consultation, and the circumstances under which it was had, are such as to make it certain that it either took place on June 2, 1873, or never took place at all. Gentlemen, in all these the interposition of Divine Providence is most singularly manifested, for on that very morning of June 2, 1873, Beecher was detained at his own house in consultation with a gentleman well known to you all, and at the very time at which, according to Mrs. Moulton, she was tucking him up on a sofa and encouraging him to confess, he was seated by the side of his own wife, speeding his way to Peekskill. This we shall prove to you so conclusively that I feel with confidence to predict that you will see Mrs. Moulton again on this witness stand, testifying here that her June 2 was Monday, May 31; that by Monday she meant Saturday, and by four hours she meant half an hour; that there was no sofa and no afghan; that nine o'clock in the morning was seven o'clock in the evening, and that Beecher's card in the *Eagle* was not spoken of nor thought of.

Mr. Tracy still further reviewed the evidence of Mrs. Moulton and others, and said there was no person so much exposed to a charge of this kind as a clergyman, one against whom it was so easy to level arrows and darts of

Malice and Hatred.

It was such a charge that was brought against John Wesley, who, more than any other man, resembled the Apostle Paul. In the discharge of my duty, said counsel, I have laid before you as much of our case as is in my power. What was the use of a noble life if it was not proof against attacks and charges like these? Good friends and neighbors have stood around the pastor in this trial, because they have known him for years, and many of them have

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for at least thirty years, and found them truthful. You will interpose like a rock between this man and his scandal. You will tell the American people that when charges of malice or slander attack a person it will meet with rigid investigation at the hands of an American jury. This man, who has guided hundreds in their course, and is looked up to and revered by thousands, is dragged into a court of justice to answer to a charge of adultery. This man will live and be perpetuated in each man's memory when the remembrances of his prosecutors will have passed into oblivion. Perhaps when years have passed away your children or your children's children will come to look at the seats of the jury where was returned the name of Henry Ward Beecher to the world without a stain, and centuries will roll away before this trial will be forgotten.

Here Mr. Tracy concluded his opening for the defense, and the Court adjourned.

Bowen Interviewed.

Henry C. Bowen said to a reporter last evening that he had not sought notoriety in the Tilton-Beecher case, and sustained only the same relation to it as any other private citizen; nothing more. It was not his quarrel, and he was not in any way a party to the suit. While amenable to criticism for his action and conduct in the daily affairs of life, he had not identified himself with this trial, and had not taken any part in its proceedings, and therefore he had believed it his duty to rebuke General Tracy for his uncalled-for and unjust criticism in his opening. If either party should call him, he would obey the order of the Court, but otherwise it was far from his wishes to have anything to do with the trial.

LEGISLATURES.

OHIO

COLUMBUS, March 1.—In the House a resolution was presented for the amendment of the State Constitution, providing that elections for State and county officers, and members of the General Assembly, shall be held biennially, and the terms of county officers shall be confirmed to this provision; also, that members of the General Assembly elected next October shall hold office for but one year, the first election under this amendment to be held November 2, 1876. The resolution was ordered to be printed.

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., 1 A. M., March 2, 1875.

Probabilities for To-day.

For the lower lakes and Middle States, slowly rising barometer, northwest winds, colder and clearing weather.

A Flood in the South—Railroads in the Tennessee Valley Damaged.

CINCINNATI, March 1.—The *Commercial's* Bridgeport (Ala.) special says the greatest flood that has visited that region since Noah's, with one exception, is now sweeping down the Tenneßee valley. All the low ground about Chattanooga is submerged. There is great loss of property. Every railroad leading into the city is badly washed and whole sections submerged. The East Tennessee road is cut in twenty places. The Atlanta road has lost many bridges. The Memphis & Charleston Railroad is under water for miles, and has lost heavily in bridges. The Nashville road is also a great sufferer. The great bridge across the Tennessee river at Bridgeport, is in danger, but as it is heavily weighted down with loaded cars it is thought that it may be saved. The river is still rising slowly. The destruction in fences, stock and houses for three hundred miles up and down is very great—the greatest ever known, with the possible exception of the flood eight years ago.

STATE BREVITIES.

THE track of the Ebensburg Branch Railroad has at length been discovered, and the train is now running as usual.

WEST CHESTER is boasting of blue birds already. Are the little "harbingers of spring" clad in overcoats and rubbers?

JOHN GOSS, a well-to-do farmer, residing three miles west of Tyrone, hung himself in his barn, Thursday of last week. Religious affairs had been troubling him for some time past. He leaves a wife and five children.

DAVID D. GRANT has been appointed postmaster at Franklin, vice R. J. Canan, resigned. Mr. Canan, who has performed the duties of his office with fidelity and merit, was obliged to resign his position on account of ill-health.

A JEWELER firm at Lancaster, has just come into possession of a silver medal presented by President Madison to the chief of a Western Indian tribe. On one side is a likeness of Mr. Madison, and on the other of a United States officer clasping the hand of an Indian, with the motto "Peace and friendship."

WE learn from the Bedford *Inquirer* that Mr. Lewis Zimmerman, a young man in charge of a school near Martinsburg, Blair county, died very suddenly the other evening from the effects of eating a frozen apple. He ate the apple immediately after dinner, and shortly after supper was attacked with severe pains and expired in fifteen minutes, before medical aid could be summoned.

JOANNA S. HURD, sister of Seth T. Hurd, editor of the Brownsville *Clipper*, died at her home in New Durham, N. H., Friday night, the 22d of January last, aged eighty-two years. She had, in the course of the last twenty-five years, read the Bible through, chapter by chapter, in their regular order, twenty-four times, and her retentive faculties were such that she had the sacred volume so perfectly "by heart" that a person could not read a verse in any part of it, but she could instantly repeat the next from memory.—*Uniontown Standard.*

A CURIOUS suit will come up in the May session of the County Court at Milford. It is a twenty-year-old affair, and grew out of an election bet. During the Buchanan, Fremont Presidential campaign, Major Colvin L. Seymour bet with Abraham Westfall several hundred acres of land that Fremont would be elected. Title deeds to both pieces of property were placed in the hands of Daniel Van Auken, District Attorney of the county. Of course Seymour lost. The property has now risen in value tremendously. Several famous stone quarries have been in operation there, and Mr. Seymour repents his bet. He brings suit against Westfall, on the ground that the whole transaction was illegal. Betting debts being usually classed by civilized nations among "debts of honor," the attempt to evade one nearly twenty years after its payment should characterize Mr. Seymour's suit as an action of dishonor.

A CORRESPONDENT writing from Stoystown, Somerset County says: The rapid melting of the snow within the past two days has swollen every little rivulet into a foaming torrent. The ice has broken up on the upper Stony Creek and Beaver Dam, and formed an immense gorge above the dam of the Pine Mills, the junction of the two creeks on which the ice remains intact. The scene at the gorge is one of the most terrible grandeur. The whole neck of land between the two creeks covered with floating ice trees, lumber, rails, etc., thrown up pile upon pile in the wildest confusion. The bridge over Beaver Dam, on the road leading to Trostle's Mills, has raised from its foundation and is resting on the mass of ice, creaking and groaning like a thing of life. It will almost certainly go down with the gorge when the ice breaks up below. The loss to the farmers all along the streams will be very heavy.

Feeding Hay from the Stack.

Feeding hay direct from the stack always appeared wasteful and inconvenient. While at work with plenty of capital one is apt to forget the easy shifts of less formal farming. In actual practice I find foddering second rate hay from the open stack quite frugal and handy. Some sort of a cloth or bit of old sail is useful to cover the top of the stack in part. But you'll find that pressed hay wets down in stormy weather very little. Hay is sometimes the better for being moistened daily as it is fed. The weather has been favorable, so far, for dainty typos at farming to begin foddering at the stack. We have had a spread of snow upon the barnyards every day or two, giving a clean table cloth—so to speak—for cattle to gather scatterings from. Having plenty of hay and warm sheds close at hand to feed in and cover the waste, capital for nice large barns may be waited for in patience. With stock and its finer produce so low, manure and its possible yield so high, and land that cries to heaven for more dung, the most frugal farmer will not care a straw whether his cattle eat the coarse parts of the fodder or trample it under foot.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—Delos Champlin, a member of the Chicago Board of Trade, holds one-tenth of ticket 10,075, the number which drew the second prize, $38,000, in the Louisville lottery.

—Governor Davis, of Minnesota, has appointed H. R. Brill to be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, at St. Paul, in place of Judge Hill, who died on Thursday on the cars on his way home.

—A dispatch from Aden announces that the missing boat's crew of eighteen persons from the steamer Hong Kong, which foundered in the Indian ocean, have arrived there. Six more lives are known to have been lost by the disaster.

—On last Saturday night, at Cape Girardeau, Mo., Detective Wm. A. Pinkerton succeeded in arresting Ed. Johnston, *alias* Proctor, *alias* Parker, the leader of the party who robbed Brady, the Southern Express Messenger, in Memphis, four weeks since.

—The train that arrived at Omaha on Sunday over the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, when within five miles of Dunlap, Iowa, ran over some obstruction half buried in the snow on the track. On arriving at Dunlap a man's leg was found hanging to one of the cars underneath. He must have been frozen to death on the track, as there were no traces of blood on the cars.

—A Ft. Wayne dispatch says a sleet storm prevailed there all Sunday night and Monday, detaining railroad trains considerably. Reports from above Ft. Wayne give accounts of a heavy snow, averaging two feet in depth. The Grand River Valley and Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw roads have been unable to start trains. The Ft. Wayne & Jackson road have with difficulty got mail trains over the road, making no attempt to run others. Their express trains each way last night were abandoned, and unless the storm ceases, they will probably get nothing through to-day.

ANOTHER Alaska article of export, viz: Mummies! A schooner of the Alaskan Commercial Company lately arrived at San Francisco, bringing an assorted cargo, including the well preserved bodies of an old chief, his wife, and his children—eleven dried heads in all. His Honor, while in the flesh, bore the resounding name of Karkhayalouchack. All the remains were wrapped in sea-grass mattings, skins and furs, bound together royally with the sinews of sea-lions. We do not know the exact commercial value of mummies; but Mr. Barnum, we suppose, could tell us what he would give for Mr. and Mrs. Karkhayalouchack and the nine little Karkhayalouchackses.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ NOTICE—THE BOARD FOR THE erection of City Hall intend to apply to the Legislature at the present session for a further Supplement to an Act entitled An Act "Creating a Board for the Erection of City Hall, in the City of Pittsburgh," approved the first day of March, 1867.

The objects of said Supplemental Act are:

First. To provide for the settlement of a final account of the proceedings of said Board, its dissolution and the discharge of the members.

Second. To devolve the duties enjoined upon said Board upon the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh.

And Third. To ratify and confirm the Acts of said Board so far as the same have been done and performed in good faith.

JARED M. BRUSH, President of the Board of Commission.
HENRY W. OLIVER, Jr., Secretary.
Pittsburgh, Feb. 2, 1875. fe2:T

OFFICE OF THE FARMERS' LOAN & TRUST CO., 26 Exchange Place, cor. William street, NEW YORK, January 2d, 1875.

☞ THE FARMERS' LOAN & TRUST COMPANY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.—Trustees of the Sinking Fund of the Construction and Equipment Bonds of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad Company, hereby give notice that in accordance with the provisions of the said Sinking Fund, they have drawn by lot the following numbers of twelve of said Bonds, viz.: No. 10, 74, 105, 133, 315, 397, 406, 432, 474, 486, 525 and 567, and on presentation and delivery to them of said twelve Bonds, or any part of the same, they will be redeemed at the par value thereof, and that the interest on all of said twelve Bonds not presented for redemption on or before the first day of July next, will cease from and after that date.

ja15:193-TF R. G. RALSTON, Prest.

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS, FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

☞ DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the offices of their respective Gas Companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, and they will receive prompt attention.

R. H. SMITH, Inspector.

MEETINGS.

☞ THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the UNION REFINING AND STORING CO., will be held at the office of the Company, 83 Wood street, MONDAY, March 8th, 1875, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

fe26:n49 WM. F. LANG, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVISION, PITTSBURGH, February 6, 1875.

☞ IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORdinance entitled "An Ordinance amending Section 6 of an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance providing for the Equalization of the Valuation of Taxable Property, ordained October 26, 1872,'" passed December 28, 1874, and approved January 1, 1875, notice is hereby given that the BOARD OF REVISION will meet on the following named days to revise the several wards, as herein stated:

March 2—Twenty-second and Twenty-third wards.
March 3—Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth wards.
March 4—Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh wards.
March 5—Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth wards.
March 6—Thirtieth and Thirty-first wards.
March 8—Thirty-second and Thirty-third wards.
March 9—Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth wards.
March 10—Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh wards.
March 11—First and Second wards.

B. F. KENNEDY, Chairman.
THOS. H. PHELPS, Secretary. fe9

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF MONONGAHELA BRIDGE CO., PITTSBURGH, February 26, 1875.

☞ THE BOARD OF MANAGERS have this day declared a dividend of ONE DOLLAR AND SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS per share, payable at the Banking House of N. Holmes & Sons, on and after March 1st.

JOHN G. HOLMES, Treasurer.
mh2:n70-TTHS&S

CENTRAL BANK, PITTSBURGH, February 25, 1875.

☞ THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF this Bank have declared a dividend of FIVE (5) PER CENT. on the capital stock, out of the earnings of the last six months, payable to stockholders forthwith.

fe28:n45 J. W. DAVITT, Cashier.

ELECTIONS.

OFFICE ALLEGHENY BRIDGE CO., PITTSBURGH, January 30, 1875.

☞ ELECTION—AN ELECTION FOR President, Managers and Officers of "the Company for erecting a Bridge over the Allegheny river opposite Pittsburgh, in the County of Allegheny," will be held at the Toll House, at the south end of the Bridge, on MONDAY, March 1, next, at 2 o'clock P. M.

fe2:m77-T W. ROSEBURG, Treasurer.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A FIRST-CLASS

PRIVATE RESIDENCE.

I will offer at private sale that desirable property, situated on the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Manhattan street, Allegheny city, consisting of a Lot fifty-three (53) feet on Pennsylvania avenue, extending three hundred (300) on Manhattan to Locust street, upon which is erected a TWO STORIED BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, with Mansard Roof, containing fifteen (15) rooms; furnace in the basement; ash pits, wash house complete, bake oven, two bath rooms, water closet and elevator.

The House is new and is furnished throughout with all modern improvements, such as hot and cold water and gas arrangements in every room. It is constructed in the most approved style, and in first class condition. The property will either be sold entire or the Lot divided to suit purchaser.

Enquire on the premises, or of GEO. O. FRAZIER, at Frazier Bros., 158 Pennsylvania avenue, Allegheny city. TTHS

BROOM HANDLES—40,000 CHOICE No. 1 just received—for sale by R. DICKEY & CO., 80 Water street.

PEA NUTS—4,000 BUSHELS RED and White, in store for sale by R. DICKEY & CO., 80 Water street.

STORAGE—GOOD STORAGE IN CELlar, 1st, 2d and 3d floors at reasonable rates. R. DICKEY & CO., 80 Water street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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No. 39 Wood Street, Pittsburgh,

Manufacturers and Jobbers in Oils, Lamps, Chandeliers; also, Window Glass, Prescription Vials and Table Glassware. The attention of cash and short time buyers is invited to our large and well assorted stock, which we are prepared to offer at the lowest prices yet reached.

R. P. WALLACE & CO.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, March 2, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Viewers' Reports on the construction of Wilson and Elm streets sewer, from Fulton street to Webster avenue, and Thirty-eighth street sewer, from Penn avenue to Allegheny river, have been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten (10) days from date.

mh2 A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.

NOTICE.—LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of WILLIAM R. FITZSIMONS, deceased, late of the city of Allegheny, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them, duly authenticated, for payment at No. 183 Western avenue, Allegheny city, Pa.

JOHN A. FITZSIMONS, Administrator.
March 1, 1875. mh2:n68-T

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF

Real Estate!

I will offer for sale at Public Vendue, at the Court House, in the city of Pittsburgh, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of March, 1875, at 11 o'clock A. M., all that certain valuable lot of ground, situate on the corner of 31st and Railroad street, in the 15th ward, of said city. Said lot having a front of 144 feet on Railroad street, running back of that width 120 feet to a 24 feet alley. Terms at sale. For particulars enquire on the premises.

mh2:n69 J. H. NOBBS, Assignee.

EMPLOYMENT FOR 7,000 MEN.

WE ARE NOW OFFERING EXTRAORDINARY INDUCEMENTS TO RELIABLE AND ENERGETIC MEN TO ACT AS AGENTS FOR THE SALE OF OUR CELEBRATED FAMILY AND NEW NO. 6 AND 7 MANUFACTURING SEWING MACHINES. FOR PARTICULARS, AND CHOICE OF TERRITORY, ADDRESS, AT ONCE,

WHEELER & WILSON M'FG CO., CINCINNATI, OHIO.

mh2:n65:TTHS&S

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Manufacturing Confectioner, AND

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LADIES' DINING AND

Ice Cream Saloon,

AND DEALER IN

Pickles, Sauces, Canned Fruits, Raisins, Nuts, Oranges, Bananas, &c.,

39 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh,

68 Federal Street, Allegheny.

NEW MAPLE SYRUP—VERY CHOICE—the first of this season's run—just received in gallon jugs, and for sale at the Family Grocery Store of JOHN A. RENSHAW & CO., cor. Liberty and Ninth streets.

WANTED.

WANTED—MORTGAGES FOR $2,000, $3,000, $5,000, $6,000, $8,000, $10,000, on first-class Property, in either Pittsburgh or Allegheny city. Apply to ISAAC M. PENNOCK, No. 114 Fourth avenue. mh1:n62

WANTED—GENTLEMEN TO OCCUPY Front Rooms (first and third floors) in a first-class new house. Best location on the Allegheny Parks—without board—prices very low. Inquire at No. 198 Federal street, Allegheny. feb27:n54

WANTED—A MACHINE SHOP OR Foundry Building or ground to erect same on, in or near the city. Address E. T., GAZETTE office, city.

WANTED—AN ACTIVE YOUNG MAN, a Soldiers' Orphan, wants a situation in any capacity. The best of references given. Address J. K. W., Uniontown, Pa.

TO-LET.

TO LET—DWELLING HOUSE 63 Grant street, now occupied by the Bishop Bowman Institute. Possession given on April 1st. Inquire on the premises. mh2:n71

TO LET—WAREHOUSE, CORNER OF First and Wood streets; Dwelling House, No. 174 Second street; Dwelling House, No. 47 Montgomery avenue, Allegheny city. Enquire of ANDREW D. SMITH, at La Belle Steel Works, Allegheny city. fe26-n50-tf

TO LET—IN DIAMOND SAVINGS Bank Building, the best Basement Room in the city; has two entrances from Fifth avenue. Inquire at DIAMOND SAVINGS BANK. fe18:n25

TO LET—A FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE at 23 Market street, Allegheny. Has all modern improvements and in excellent condition; 11 rooms; large lot. Will be leased for a term of years. Enquire of WILLIAM BLAKELEY, No. 126 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. fe20:n30

TO LET—CORNER OF TWENTY-sixth street and Penn avenue, a room on second floor, 40 feet by 105 feet, with power sufficient to operate machinery for sash and door factory, or other manufacturing purposes. Inquire of SAMUEL LOGAN, on the premises. ja9:165

TO LET—APRIL 1st, 1875, WAREhouse, No. 11 Wood street. To a good tenant will be let at a moderate rate. Apply at the MERCHANTS' AND MANUFACTURERS' NATIONAL BANK, No. 61 4th avenue. fe18:n23

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—LEATHER BELTING HOSE AND RUBBER, at THORP & DUNN, No. 14 Market St.

FOR SALE—ONE STATIONARY ENGINE, 12 Horse power, in complete running order, good as new. Will be sold cheap for cash. Call on or address N. B. SPROAT, West Newton, Pa. fe27:n58

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND ENGINES from 5 to 80 horse power, 30 Double Flued Boilers, one pair 20 feet by 38 inches, nearly new. JAMES HILL & CO., Cor. Marion avenue and P. Ft. W. & C. R. R., Allegheny City.

FOR SALE—A PIECE OF PROPERTY on West Penn Railroad, between Chestnut and Cherry streets, Fourth ward, Allegheny city; size of lot 60x100; lot covered with a building; will make a good foundry or machine shop. For further particulars inquire at 146 RIVER AVENUE, Allegheny city. fe19:n26

FOR SALE—115 IMPROVED FARMS, well suited to the production of early vegetables for the northern markets. Prices ranging $600 to $10,000. Also a number of mills and other manufactories. For further information inquire at the Real Estate Exchange of HENDRICKS & McCLELLAN, No. 188 Liberty street, Pittsburgh, Pa. mh1:n59

FOR SALE—FORTY SUPERIOR SECOND-HAND BOILERS, in good order, ranging from 30 inches to 44 inches in diameter, and 10 feet to 40 feet long; double-flued and cylinder. County Inspector's certificate of test with each boiler. Repairing promptly done at the West Point Boiler Works, 13 Water street. WATSON & MUNROE. dec18

FOR SALE—TWO-STORY BRICK House of 9 rooms, range in kitchen, hot and cold water, gas throughout, good dry cellar; situate 225 North avenue, Allegheny. For further information inquire of R. ROBINSON, at the Hoboken Savings Bank, corner of Liberty street and Sixth avenue. ja19:M11

FOR SALE,—VIRGINIA LANDS.—A No. 1 Farm of 1,300 acres, on James river, 12 miles below Richmond; 860 acres under cultivation; 200 acres original timber; 80 acres in timothy and clover; 300 fruit trees. The plantation can be divided into a number of farms; has splendid buildings. Price $35 per acre. We have a large number of farms for sale and exchange. J. H. STEVENSON & CO., "Farm Agency," 198 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. fe12

ROBINSON BROTHERS

BANKERS,

NO. 78 FOURTH AVENUE,

Offer for sale the following first-class Securities:
20,000 PITTSBURGH 7'S STREET BONDS.
10,000 " " 6'S GOLD LOAN.
100 SHARES PENNA. CENTRAL.
5,000 PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS 7'S.
Wanted—
25,000 FIRST-CLASS WARD SCHOOL BONDS.
Parties desiring to buy or sell good securities are invited to call on us.

FOR SALE—THOS. F. STEWART'S Real Estate Exchange, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, opposite First National Bank.
If you wish to exchange city property for that in the country,
If you wish to exchange country property for city,
If your House is too small,
If your House is too large,
If your location does not suit you,
If you wish to exchange Stocks, Bonds or Mortgages for a place either in the city or country, the place to do so is where most of this kind of business is done, and that place is the Real Exchange of THOS. F. STEWART, Corner Fifth avenue and Wood street.
N.B.—WANTED—Mortgages on good city property, from $20,000 to $100,000.
THOS. F. STEWART.

FOR SALE—NO. 7 SCOTT STREET, 7th ward; frame house of 7 rooms; gas, water, wash house, paved street; lot 40x100 feet. Apply to J. H. JOHNSTON, 285 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—NO. 163 SMITHFIELD street; brick 3 story house, 20x60; lot 20x90 feet. Terms easy. Apply to J. H. JOHNSTON, 285 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—NO. 165 SMITHFIELD street; brick house 20x90; lot 20x90 feet. Terms easy. Apply to J. H. JOHNSTON, 285 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—SMALL GARDEN FARM; 12 acres, near Mansfield, on the Pan Handle R. R.; house, stable and well. Price Low. Terms easy. Apply to J. H. JOHNSTON, 285 Liberty street.

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AT

JOSEPH HORNE & CO.'S,

MARKET STREET,

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Pattern Bonnets and Hats,
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Including all the novelties, to which we invite the attention of Milliners and Dealers. WHOLESALE EXCLUSIVELY.

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ATWOOD & M'CAFFREY,

No. 50 to 60 THIRD AVENUE, Beween Market and Ferry Streets.

GREAT SPECIAL SALE OF CARPETS.

On the first of January we commence extensive improvements in one of our salesrooms, during which the Goods in two rooms will have to be crowded into one. This compels us to reduce stock on hand nearly one-half, to do which at once, we offer from TO-DAY, DECEMBER 11th, our entire stock at LOWER PRICES than first-class goods have ever been sold in Pittsburgh.

M'FARLAND, COLLINS & CO.,

No. 101 Fifth Avenue, Next to U. S. Custom House and Postoffice.

SPRING GOODS

Opening this Week at

Jos. Horne & Co.'s

RETAIL.

BRAIDED CASHMERE COSTUMES,

Braided Cashmere Cloaks,

CLOTH JACKETS,

Embroidered Cashmere Shawls.

Special attention is directed to our line of

Black "Hand-Spun" Silks

Of which we now have a full assortment open, from $2.00 per yard up—sold with guarantee to wear.

Black Silk Warp and Wool Cachemires.

Embroidered Tasso and Linen Guipure Stripe, a new material for Polonaises and Overdresses.

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BONNETS AND HATS,

In Black, Brown and Drab.

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THE famine in Asia Minor is causing intense and general suffering, and relief is needed to save thousands from perishing.

IN THE course of eight weeks of legislation, the Democratic House at Harrisburg has managed to get through with six bills.

TRACY is not a good reader, either, but what he reads seems to be as soothing to his opponents as a particularly strong fly-blister.

THE Standing Committee has sustained the election of Dr. De Koven to the Bishopric of Illinois. The outlook now is that the election will be confirmed by the House of Bishops, and the whole matter settled.

THE Spanish Government announces that the campaign against the Carlists will be brought to a close this season. We have heard something like that heretofore. It is like some of the "farewell tours" of Charlotte Cushman.

THE Dominion Parliament is considering a bill which imposes a fine of $2,000 upon any railroad company that employs a man who is found intoxicated when on duty. The principle has been tried on the Grand Trunk Railway, and has been found to work admirably.

IS IT NOT a legitimate question whether an election certificate, without date as to time when office is to be taken, is not a joke? We really fear that the document given the would-be-Mayor of the city is such a one as might have been handed Mr. McKee, had he been elected.

THE Public Debt has been reduced $6,680,183 during the month of February, as will be seen by the statement from the Secretary of the Treasury published elsewhere. The Democratic and "Independent" press must look elsewhere for a subject at which to snarl at the President and the Republican party.

IT is the ardent desire of every great Englishman that, when his spirit takes its flight, the walls of Westminister Abbey may enclose his body with the tender and solemn gloom. The latest addition to the remains of the good and great—poets, orators, statesmen, scientists, dramatists and philanthropists, is the body of Sir Charles Lyell.

THE Civil Rights bill, the enactment of which we have steadily favored, has been signed by the President, and is now a law of the land. Now that the measures that were expected to prolong the session are out of the way, we judge Congress will give close attention to the appropriation bills, and pass them. This done, and there will be no occasion for an extra session.

THE Democratic Legislature of Alabama has been engaged in an interesting question, which they have partially solved. They give the 94,000 Republican voters of the State one Congressman, and the 107,000 Democratic voters seven Congressmen! They are now trying to demonstrate that they know nothing of the art of "gerrymandering," but thus far they have not met with much success.

MR. PATRICK O'HAIR, of the Illinois Legislature, desires the passage of a bill imposing a fine of not less than $20 nor more than $100 on any person who shall invite another to drink any intoxicating liquors. Mr. O'Hair believes in striking at the root of evil, and the law would be an excellent one if public sentiment could be tuned up to make its enforcement practicable, which we very much doubt.

SIX years ago last October, the rebellion now existing in Cuba, broke out. In that time eight Captain Generals have wrestled with it. The eighth, Concha, now retires and is succeeded by the brutal and bloody Valmaseda; the murderer of school boys; the author of the most infamous edict of rapine and murder issued in modern times; the choice of the boy King Alfonso, who, by this selection, shows his nature and what he means by pacification.

THE passage of the Force bill by the House, in the form in which it comes, will prove an agreeable surprise to the quiet-loving portion of the people. The suspension of the writ of *habeas corpus* is confined to four Southern States that have been most turbulent, and to a period of two years of time. It simply means that Congress intends that order shall be observed, and that it is willing to entrust the President with the power to enforce it. It is really a Peace bill, and will lead to a prompt suspension of the turbulence and trouble at the South. This, too, is precisely why the Democracy opposed it. To keep the South in a disorganized, turbulent and warlike condition is part of the deliberate policy of the Democratic party. Their hopes in the next Presidential election depend upon it,—and these are blasted by the enacement of a bill, wise, just, and restricted in its scope, but which will effectually stop the abuses that have reigned at the South since the Ku-Klux laws expired by limitation.

THE recent disaster at the St. Andrews' Roman Catholic church, New York, has called public attention to church architecture again, and especially to the matter of doors. It seems to be a failing with architects to violate the law on this point, and an investigation in New York has developed the fact that the majority of the churches have doors that open inward instead of outward,—a clear violation of a very sensible law. We judge that a similar examination of the churches of Pittsburgh would show a similar state of affairs, for we believe it is the rule, rather than the exception, to have the doors open inward. This should not be allowed; not only should all new public edifices be required to have doors opening outward, but a change should be made in those already constructed so as to make them conform to the law. People take no heed of the danger of a violation of this law until some trouble occurs, and then they are worked up. It is true the mere fact of the doors of a public hall or church opening outward will not prevent a panic, or always save the people from its consequences, but there is a greater confidence and less likelihood of a wild rush, when the assemblage knows the means of egress are such that there can be no blockade. The law is a good one and it ought to be rigidly enforced.

THE Chicago *Tribune* explains a brief dispatch, recently published, announcing that J. W. Thorne, a member of the North Carolina Legislature, had been expelled for expressing his non-belief in "the existence of a God." It seems that Mr. Thorne was expelled not because he did not believe in God, but because he did not believe in the particular kind of a God which the North Carolina Legislature wanted him to believe in. The Democrats probably voted to expel him because he was a Republican, but the colored Republicans voted to expel him on orthodox grounds. Mr. Thorne, some time since, it seems, wrote a pamphlet in which, while expressing his belief in a Supreme Being, he took the ground that the accepted God of the Bible, who makes "the devils believe and tremble," is a "cruel Deity, to the existence of which he could not reconcile himself." In other words, Mr. Thorne, who belongs to a sect called the Progressive Friends, a sect of Quakers, is probably an advanced moralist, partaking somewhat of the Unitarian and somewhat of the Universalist faith. Now, the Constitution of the State of North Carolina expresses a belief in God incidentally in its preamble by acknowledging a dependence on the Almighty for blessings, and it also disqualifies a citizen from holding office who disbelieves in the existence of God. The Legislators have construed this to mean what the Raleigh *News* calls "the Christian's God," or, to define it more exactly, the God accepted by the orthodox sects; and so they have expelled Mr. Thorne for not being orthodox in his belief. They must have drawn their inspiration from the original Constitution of North Carolina, adopted in 1776, excluding from office every person "*who shall deny the being of God, or the truth of the Protestant religion, or the divine authority of either the Old or New Testaments.*"

THE LOUISIANA COMPROMISE.

At last the difficulties at New Orleans seem in fair way of adjustment, by means of a compromise, which will be practically in Republican hands, and ought not, therefore to be feared. The plan simply is, to permit the Congressional Committee that visited New Orleans to count the vote of the last election, and determine the result; then the extra session of the Legislature is to be called, and those declared elected seated, and allowed to proceed with business. Kellogg is to be recognized as Governor, and both parties are to keep the peace. While as a rule compromises are undesirable, and generally involve a sacrifice of principle, perhaps there was as much reason for one in this case as any other. So conflicting were the reports of disinterested persons, as to what was right, that it was and is hard rightly to draw the dividing line. If, therefore, peace can be had, and no just principle sacrificed, the country will hail the compromise for the sake of peace.

The indications have been clear, for a time past, that the people of New Orleans had come to know that they were being encouraged in their resistance to authority, by Democrats, for the simple purpose of affording political capital to the party. The demagoguery of this was so apparent, and the cruelty and the heartlessness of it so evident, that a reaction set in, and led to a desire for compromise. The Conservatives of Louisiana felt that they could not afford to be the anvil, to be pounded continually for the benefit of other parties. Hence they have come forward in a spirit of order, and in the face of their leaders, who denounce them, ask for a settlement of difficulties on some right basis. McEnery, Marr, and others who have been leaders, are not in this movement, and, for this reason, we incline to think there is more of honesty and sincerity in the present effort to settle difficulties, than in any heretofore attempted. We gave, a few weeks since, an *excerpt* from the New Orleans *Bulletin*, expressive of the sentiment that now seems to predominate. If, therefore, it shall prove to be just what we describe it, the movement has taken a shape that is worthy of new encouragement.

From the first we have opposed mere partisanship in dealing with Louisiana, or Southern affairs, but we have strongly insisted, on the other hand, that the spirit of vengeance and bloodthirstiness there should not be allowed to rule. The course of the President in repressing disorders, we have steadily approved, and we have had no hesitancy in sustaining the justice of the 4th of January proceedings, whereby Wiltz and his compeers were prevented from illegally organizing the Legislature. And we have not been anxious to accept a hollow compromise, which merely meant that the Conservatives should secure what advantages they could, and then prepare for future encounters. But the Republican party has not been, and cannot afford to be, unjust; and when those who have contested against it show a really fair spirit, they should be met, and, if they have wrongs, they should be redressed. This, as we understand it, is the spirit in which the present compromise is undertaken. We have great confidence in the fidelity and sagacity of Mr. Wheeler, and, as he is in full accord with the President, no fear need be entertained that the interests of the Republican party, or of right, will be sacrificed. And with this troublesome Louisiana problem out of the way, the country will feel relieved.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

SINCE 1869 the Kansas Legislatures have passed 930 laws.

A PROVIDENCE firm is making a $400 rifle for King Kalakaua.

CINCINNATI has the spelling match fever. H-a-w-g; Pork. Next.

MR. PADDOCK, of the Idaho Legislature, has introduced a bill divorcing all the married people within the Territory, and placing them, according to law, precisely as they were before marriage.

"AFFIX NO PLACARD" instead of "Post no bills," and "Debris of a miscellaneous character may be deposited in this locality" in place of "Rubbish shot here," are mile posts showing the progress of intellect in England.

IN 1873 Prussia contained 1,037 monks and 8,011 nuns. In the diocese of Cologne the numbers increased between 1850 and 1872 from 272 to 3,131; in Breslau, from 228 to 1,458; in Posen, from 10 to 337, and in Kulm, from 8 to 191.

YOUNG ladies with beautiful pink ears and throats faultless enough to be copied in alabaster are "perfectly horrified" to learn that the poke bonnets of our grandmothers are to be revived. The old folks are moving in concert about the matter.

THE Russian *Invalide* states that England has supplied 60,000 rifles to the East Turcoman tribes, and that one of Major Napier's projects in traveling north of Mesched probably was to instruct the Turcomans in the use of the new weapon.

AN ambitious Texan having read somewhere about the Pope's "bull," announces in one of the papers published in the interior of the State, that he has "a three-year-old brindle steer, blind of one eye," that he will match to whip any bull the Pope can produce.

Two English bishops denounce cremation—Bishop Wordsworth, because the fire is a symbol of punishment, and has always been looked upon as the peculiar doom of the wicked; Bishop Selwyn, because fire is an emblem of purification, and of the process undergone by the regenerate soul.

A PHYSICIAN of Charleston, South Carolina, proves that the South is better adapted for meat production than either England or Holland. He then asks, "Why not put more of this force into grass, meat, and other provisions for foreign consumption? Why perpetuate a wilderness in the South and call it peace?"

SINCE the opening of the Albemarle and Chesapeake canal 54,330 vessels, all propelled by steam, have passed from the waters of the Chesapeake bay through it to the sounds of North Carolina, avoiding the dangerous coasts of that State, and greatly facilitating business, and protecting both life and property.

GEORGE W. PLUMBER's box factory in Philadelphia was burned on Monday morning. Loss on the building, $50,000; partly insured. The loss on the stock is $40,000, which is fully insured. Three thousand girls are thrown out of employment by this fire. In the fall of one of the walls all the telegraph wires were carried down. Shoemaker's paint and plate glass warehouse, adjoining, was considerably damaged by water.

IT would appear from the following that Archbishop Purcell, of Cincinnati, is no friends to the public schools. In his Lenten pastoral, in speaking of the approaching time for the first communion, he says: "In a former pastoral we forbade children who had not attended a Catholic school, where such a one was accessible, for two years previously, to be admitted to holy communion. We direct that this rule be observed. Only they who have eyes to see, ears to hear, and hearts to feel, can tell how blank of the most elementary religious knowledge are Catholic children who go to the district schools, and how soon they forget to make the sign of the Cross, or to say the Our Father, hail Mary, and the Creed."

THE SPRING STYLES.

Jennie June's Fashion Letter.

All About the New Fabrics and Costumes, Lyons Novelties and Silks—Old Probabilities.

NEW YORK, February, 1875.

Nothing could suit business less than the weather which has been vouchsafed to us through "Old Probabilities." Since last Autumn the extension of the warmth and beauty of our second Summer into December cut off trade in Winter furs and fabrics just when it should have reached its height, nor did the severity of January and February renew it, except to a limited extent. The cold weather in February on the contrary brought business to a standstill. Winter supplies were not needed, or could be got along without, while no one felt like purchasing for Spring. Lent, moreover, coming unusually early put a stop to balls and festivities of all sorts requiring particularly elegant dresses, and left all those interests which depend on ladies' dress stranded for a time on a barren and inhospitable shore.

The prospect is brightening now, however. There is a more healthful feeling throughout mercantile circles; Spring industries are becoming green and promise to flourish like Spring grass, and Spring fashions are beginning to make their appearance here and there in such glimpses as one obtains of the crocus or the trailing arbutus under the dead leaves of Fall and Winter. What they are to be is an all-important question with thousands of women from whom fashion is really as remote as China, and who would be just as well off and better following their own ideas, and working up the subject of dress from their own point of view.

"I never look at a fashion plate," said one of the most successful dressmakers in New York, the other day. "I design for my clientele, and I will undertake to make an outfit for Saratoga in February that shall surpass in style, distinction and originality (and these are fashion) anything made in this country or brought from Paris in May." I believe her. Quick, bright, active, with a genius for dress, she was master of the situation. I could not help comparing her position at the head of the dressmaking department of a large and fashionable house, with that of many helpless women, wives of sick husbands, perhaps, but dependent as children, and hardly able to perform the simplest act without royal permission.

This was no French madam, but a young, fresh-looking woman of Irish parentage, lifted out of her hard life of hand labor by the industrious cultivation of a naturally quick perception and mother wit. It was a treat to see her step from her coupe to the door of her place of business, walk with her quiet, assured manner to her own special department, lay aside her wrappings, which were silently received and taken charge of by a young lady attendant, and proceed to the inspection of a workroom on the upper floor.

Here the sight was one that would be curious enough to an unaccustomed eye. Pink, blue, green, white and black silks and satins lay about in endless profusion. Long tables for cutting occupied part of the seeming miles of space, and upon others—cut low for the purpose—stood girls who were acting as lay figures for the arrangement of trimmings, flounces, trains, drapings of overskirts, and the like. The presiding genius of the busy scene took in all the details at a glance. Her orders were given with the rapidity, minuteness, and accuracy of a General commanding an army. Nothing escaped her and nothing seemed to have been forgotten. I can not express the feelings of delight and pleasure with which I saw the exhibition of unconscious power and the air of command. Here was a working woman, sprung from the ranks, making no vulgar pretense, but actually queening it in her own right, as few of her fashionable customers would ever dare to do. "Oh!" I thought, "if women could only see this and recognize it, learn how to obtain power by the exercise of their own faculties, the world would no longer echo to the sounds of their moanings and complainings."

SPRING FABRICS.

It is prints, cambrics and percales that always strikes the first notes of approaching spring. After St. Valentine's day they begin to make their appearance in the shop windows, and upon bright sunny February mornings peep delicately and attractively forth upon the passers by and tempt ladies to a purchase, which, though not always what they want, is neither important enough nor unwise enough to regret. It is only this, that the earliest fabrics shown usually belong to last year's styles, and are superseded later by something which every one recognizes as something newer and fresher. The stripes and dots, for example, look pretty enough until you have seen the imitations of diagonals with checked borders, the invisible checks with borders in distinct colors, and the perfect imitation of the mesh of a fish-net with lacelike border in black or white. These are so new they can not be mistaken, and they are bound to "take." They are accompanied by plates showing the style of making; a walking skirt with a single flounce edged and headed by the border, a tablier overskirt with sash and basque with square collar, all furnished with the border, and therefore require no other trimmings.

The finish of these cottons is fully equal to foulard, and the patterns are those of handsome diagonal and embroidered wool. The new open English embroidery is also imitated most successfully, the pretty wheel pattern forming the body part of the dress, and handsome leaves or ovals in a perfect imitation of English embroidery the border. There are also small chintz patterns, with flower borders, but these are not in demand, the preference being decidedly for the gray grounds and cloth lace or embroidery patterns.

NEW CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTH.

There are no new novelties except in design in spring woolens. The fashionable materials are fine camels-hair cloth, tweeds and homespuns in invisible checks composed of a mixture of gray and black, or two shades of gray or a somewhat lighter combination of the same colors, or brown, with striped bars or broken lines of color running through them. These will be made up into costumes and worn over black silk skirts or a plain gray fabric will be chosen for the body part of the whole dress, and the body part used for trimming; or the body part of the dress may be made of the check, and the plain part used for sleeves or folds. Fine challies, made of silk and wool, always pretty, but tame and ineffective when made up into suits, are improved by the introduction of irregular knots of wool of a darker shade from the ground—thus gray upon gray, brown upon corn, and the like. This makes up well into sleeveless tunics, polonaises and costumes; the skirt and sleeves being composed of silk or poplin the shade of the knots.

Plainer and cheaper materials consist of twilled de bege, a very useful and serviceable fabric, much like what was formerly known as "Nun's serge," only the twill is finer. Also tweed mixtures of cotton and wool, so fine and well made as to be almost equal in appearance and wear to the all-wool manufactures. Of trashy "Japanese" silks and poplins there are at present none to be seen; the rage for softly draping fabrics has excluded all stiff and wiry productions during the past few years, and these, with the rest.

SILK AND CASHMERE COSTUMES.

A new distinction is pressed upon the attention of the admirers of black silks this season, and that is with regard to the difference between machine and hand-spun silk. Machine-made silks, it is asserted, are always more or less harsh and rough, no matter how rich or heavy. It is the hand-spun silks alone which preserve a perfect purity and a softness which makes them drape gracefully, and therefore adapts them particularly to the present style of costume. It is not contended that the hand-spun silks are any more durable than it is possible to make them by machine, only that they take a softer and finer finish, and are therefore very properly selected for very dressy purposes.

Few all-silk dresses or costumes are made up this season, however. The demand is for a mixture of silk and cashmere, or silk and velvet. In the first combination the cashmere forms the body part of the dress, the silk, the fine knife-pleatings which are narrow, and laid so minutely as to look like crimping. Also the mountings upon the basque and sleeve—little side-pockets, for example, falling collar, lining of the narrow stand up collar, pleatings at the wrists, and perhaps a vest.

The overskirt is almost straight around, ornamented with silk straps across the front, open entirely down the back, and draped and fastened together with large bows and black ribbon. Very rich costumes of silk and velvet, on the contrary, are made with a petticoat entirely of velvet, finished with a deep flounce, or overskirt of silk, embroidered and trimmed with wide Chantilly lace, and cuirass, or close-fitting basque, embroidered and trimmed with lace. The petticoat may be worn in summer, upon occasions at the seaside, and in cool localities, with a polonaise of the white damasked or ecru open-meshed fabrics, which were introduced late last season, will be even more fashionably worn this year, because better known, and because they are the rage abroad.

The silk costume is also perfect in itself, for if velvet sleeves are used with the velvet skirt, a second pair is made of silk, and held in reserve for future requirements.

BLACK GRENADINES.

There is a certain kind of plain, all silk, heavily-meshed grenadines, which are just as standard as black silk. Many ladies would just as soon be without one as the other, and, indeed, one is nearly as useful and available as the other. But these are not the fashionable grenadines par excellence. The latter always change their style and pattern every season, and this year make their appearance in small and large checker-board patterns, the squares filled in with silk netting of cobweb fineness, differing in size, the broad or narrow bars crossing like ribbons, and alternately in squares of ribbed satin, plain silk, or crape.

The stripes of last year have lost their vogue. Some will be worn, of course, as they are in the market, but the new imported costumes will all be composed of the cross-barred grenadines, made over complete costumes of black or colored silk, and the fashionables will copy from these.

Fine jet will be largely used on grenadine costumes and suits, because the market is stocked with it, but this season will finish it up. Thrifty ladies, who want a suit to look well two seasons, had better avoid it.

LYONS NOVELTIES.

Almost all the Lyons novelties are openmeshed fabrics of silk, intended for wear over a complete underdress of solid silk. The patterns are like the ecru silk and canvas fish net and barred Mexicaines of last season, but they produce a very different effect by having a contrasting color or shade woven in them. The new styles, for example, are a combination of ecru and white, ecru and brown, ecru and blue, ecru and garnet, or they are blue upon blue, brown upon brown, in two not near, but not exactly opposite or contrasting shades. These will be worn over a silk of the dark shade, or one of another color, as in the case of the ecru and white, which would be charming over pale pink or blue.

Then, in addition to the absolutely transparent grenadines, which require a silk underdress, there are the soft twilled damasks and matelasse, parts of whose patterns form a netting as fine as the open work of a delicate stocking, and thick, as if made of sewing silk. The newest fabrics in fine, rich and expensive as they are, form nothing more than a vail to the dress, which must be in all respects as complete as if worn without them.

The new ribbons, scarfs and neckties are in twilled damask or matelasse patterns, and the scarfs will form a very popular trimming for straw hats. Matelasse and China crepe will be used upon chip.

"THE ULSTER."

New spring waterproofs for ladies are made after the "Ulster" pattern for gentlemen, which is a long straight sack, belted in from the sides upon the back, and finished with a shawl-shaped hood and pockets, including a neat little pocket in the cuff of the sleeve for car fare, stamps, tickets, &c.

The same design will be used for linen as the warm weather approaches. Though it has nothing to recommend it, there is something refreshing in the plan and unpretending ugliness after the "looping" and "dressing," *ad infinitum*, with which we have been nauseated.

HATS AND HINTS.

Spring hats and bonnets are all of straw or chip, with wide brims and low crowns, somewhat heightened by the trimming. The brims are raised or depressed partially or wholly to suit the fancy of the wearer, but are generally raised sufficiently to admit of a spray or wreath of flowers beneath.

Large quantities of flowers are used upon dressed hats and bonnets, and there is a special fancy for large, soft white roses upon the early specimens of white chip and for silken scarf, which constitutes the important part of the trimming upon hats for traveling and neglige.

Navy blue is still fashionably worn for felt hats and costumes, but in straw it is not considered necessary to strictly repeat the color of the dress. White straw and chip are trimmed with brown for brown suits, and black straws are enlivened with white or with a dash of bright color.

Skirts are still cut long and tied up with strings for walking. They are perfectly plain, except at the back, where they are laid in a broad triple box pleats.

Sleeves are long and close, narrow at the wrist, except in the case of a low bodice, and this is often cut low square with a strap across the shoulder, and if the wearer has fine arms, without any sleeves at all.

All low bodices are cut with bias fronts, closed with a piping and buttoned or laced at the back.

New cuirass basques (glove fitting) are lined with a soft twilled silk, strong and made for the purpose, which yields to every motion of the figure. These are buttoned entirely down the back, and fit like a coat of mail.

JENNIE JUNE.

PERSONAL.

WILLIAM HENRY DUTTON, JR., proprietor of the Boston *Transcript*, died last Sunday night.

GENERAL ADRIAN WOLF, aged eighty-four, has just died at Montauban, France. He was on Maximilian's staff in Mexico.

DELOS CHAMPLIN, a member of the Chicago Board of Trade, holds 10,075, the number which drew the second prize ($38,000) in the Louisville lottery.

IT IS announced in St. Petersburg that the frigate Svetlana, under command of the Grand Duke Alexis, will sail this Spring on another long voyage.

THE Agassiz Memorial Fund is now so large as to give to the committee in charge of it the assurance that the original amount contemplated, $300,000, will soon be raised.

THE man Henry L. Dow, who committed suicide in Detroit a few days ago, was at one time editor of the Oil City *Monitor*, and was to have been married in a short time to a lady in Cleveland.

THE London *World* says that Mr. Bradlaugh had deserted his children and left them on the parish, and now it is compelled to apologize, which, however, leaves the case open for a wicked world to say that "where there is smoke," &c.

MR. JAMES LICK, the California millionaire, is receiving bushels of proposals from American artists for the design of the memorial monument which he proposes to erect in San Francisco to the memory of the author of the "Star Spangled Banner."

SENATOR NYE, of Nevada, used to be famous for his jovial spirits. He was a fellow of infinite jest, and was wont to set the Senate in a roar, and now he has been found wandering in the street of Richmond in attire of the night, helpless and dazed.

OF all the women named in connection with the Beecher case, Mrs. Moulton was the only one who seemed animated by a downright spirit of honesty, and who gave the pastor really brave counsel; and upon her, therefore, is likely to fall the fury of resentment.

THE Countess Girgenti, daughter of Queen Isabella, is as thin as her royal mamma is fat, and as cross-looking as Isabella is good-natured in appearance. It is said that her temper is "diabolical," and the Parisians do not hesitate to declare that she worried the Count Girgenti into committing suicide.

IF the Bonaparte Prince Imperial should marry the Danish princess, it would be a great stroke, as it is in "grand alliances" that French statesmen put their trust for the future of their country. But he will hardly get her. Probably the Empress of Russia will be an insuperable obstacle. Her objection to "*encanaillerait*" herself was made against this family.

A NEW YORK paper recapitulating the osculatoriness, so to speak, of Plymouth Church, wonders whether it will not be shown that Beecher, Tilton, Mrs. Tilton, Mrs. Moulton, Frank Moulton, Shearman, Tracy, Halliday, and Frank Carpenter kissed the Woodhull. On reading these things, one is reminded of the popular quatrain:

I saw Esau kissing Kate,
The fact is, we all three saw;
I saw Esau, he saw Kate,
And she saw I saw Esau.

Mr. Cox's Free Trade Notions.

When the tariff bill was under discussion in the House of Representatives on Tuesday last, the Hon. S. S. Cox, of New York, to illustrate his extreme free trade ideas, stated that he had bought the suit of clothes in which his wiry person was encased, in Canada, for $21. Fields, of Michigan, said that he (Cox) had cheated the American tailors by running off to Canada for his clothes, while he (Fields) had clothed himself at home. Mr. Townsend, of Pennsylvania, in speaking of both these members, said that when their clothes were worn out, two bundles of rags could go to the paper mill; but that while the price of Cox's suit had gone to aid the subjects of Her Britannic Majesty, the price of that of Mr. Fields had benefited the industry of his own home and country. Mr. W. R. Roberts, of New York, an Irish Democrat by the way, remarked that while representing a revenue tariff constituency, they would regard him with deserved scorn and contempt, had he contributed to the support of the pauper labor of Europe by buying his clothes abroad, instead of encouraging home industry. Cox was badly cornered, and got out of his dilemma by jocularly stating that his Canadian tailor was a Fenian! From all which it would appear that free-trade doctrines will neither "wash" nor undergo too close an examination.

Kissing the Smallpox.

At Mount Vernon the inhabitants are congratulating themselves on having escaped the horrors of an epidemic. It appears that a young woman, named Carroll, returned to her father's house in that village a short time since and died in a day or two afterward. During the wake which followed, a large number of persons present kissed the corpse. It has now transpired that the girl died of smallpox in its worst and most malignant form. None of Mr. Carroll's other children having been vaccinated, the contagion spread itself among them, carrying off all but two, out of seven. Nothing could be done to restrain the inmates of the pestilential abode from going at large and intermingling with the community while the dangerous infection existed.

SHAKEN DEWDROPS.

On the white bosom of a fair tall flower
  Two pearly dewdrops lie:
Fresh with the coolness of the midnight hour,
  The quiet of the sky.

Each drop is rounded into full completeness;
  The mirror of its breast
Reflects the perfect picture of earth's sweetness,
  The semblance of heaven's rest.

Then comes a little whisper through the roses,
  By airy zephyrs borne,
Fresh'ning through all the silent garden-closes,
  With tidings of the morn.

The flowers bow their heads in mute devotion
  Before the rising sun;
The dewprops quiver with the sudden motion,
  And tremble into one.

With us, dear heart, the shock of sudden trouble
  Swept o'er each waiting soul,
And life that was so lonely, being double,
  Became one perfect whole.

And thou and I, content because together,
  In one securely rest;
Safe from all storms of life's capricious weather,
  Folded in love's own breast.
—*Kate Hillard in the Galaxy for March.*

THE REGISTER'S OFFICE.

Report for the Month of February.

Register Gray has completed his report for the month of February, which is as follows:

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

Decedents.	*Administrators.*	*Bond.*
Louis Schmidt	Henry Buege	$ 600
John Zweidinger	Peter Haberman.	10,000
Patrick Shields	Jos. Mitchell	3,000
Catharine Metzger	Henry Metzger	3,000
Catharine Shane	Andrew Shane	1,000
Dora Bastion	Geo. K. Flower	300
D. C. Mead	Naomi E. Mead.	1,000
Wm. Best	Richard Best	450
James W. Gundy	Jas. Grier, Esq., J. Nelson Ewing	1,500
Henry M. Noble	Wm. H. Noble	1,000
Chas. W. Anshutz	W. K. Woodwell	350
John Rosefelt	Michael Rosefelt	1,000
Mary J. Ward	Sam. Severance,	12,000
T. H. Valentine	H. R. Chalfant,	2,000
John McKenna	Thos. McKenna,	8,000
John G. Troemel	Caro. Troemel	500
Dr. Thos. Hewett	Ezra Barrett	1,000
W. J. Hamill	Hugh Hamill	1,000
Marg't Hawthorn	D. Hawthorn	300
Joseph Pappart	Aug. Pappart	200
Sam. C. Curtis	John G. Curtis	2,000
Gunther Perzel	Mary Perzel and John Kaiser	3,000
Elizabeth Hahn	Chris. Hahn	2,000
Wm. P. Giles	Sarah Giles	7,000
Dr. Isaiah Ward	A. T. Douthett	10,000
John J. Lewis	Fred. B. Lewis	100
John Hamerstein	Cath. Hamerstein P. Huffnagel	500
James H. Ewing	D. M. Wilson	2,000
Philip Fine	Jacob G. Leizer,	500
Caroline Wather	H. Heineman	400
James M. Irwin	W. A. Sipe, Esq.,	15,000
Mrs. F. J. Bailie	D. Bailie	500

WILLS ADMITTED TO PROBATE.

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Mary Musser	Andrew Shane.
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Samuel Neely	Samuel B. Neely.
David Crow	Isabella Crow.
John Erdner	Anna J. Erdner.
James Reynolds	James Reynolds.
Francis Schuettinger	—— ——.
Andrew S. Calhoun	Alex. Calhoun. Wm. Sterritt.
Adam Keil	Henry Keil. August Keil.
Sarah Holgate	Geo Booth.
Susan Young	T. B. Dickson.
Jacob Schmidt	Henry Ruge.
Dr. John B. McGrew	Rev. W. L. McGrew.
John Fraub	Maria Anna Fraub.
John Martin	John R. Martin.
Mary Cahill	Denis Breen.
Gottlieb Wahr	Agnes Wahr.
Jacob Marks	Simon Kaufman.

KANSAS AID.

What West Middletown is Doing.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

WEST MIDDLETOWN, PA.,
February 25, 1875.

We are in favor of letting our light shine in our neighboring counties for the benefit of the "Kansas Sufferers." Ours is a small village cut off from all points of communication by radius of twelve miles in all directions. About one month ago Professor Bigger's Quartette Club gave a benefit in one of our churches for the Kansas sufferers—proceeds $44.00. Shortly after which, a few of the young ladies and gentlemen of our place got up what they called a "Grasshopper Festival" at the P. H. Seminary Hall, which resulted in quite a handsome success. We would just say, for the occasion, that besides netting $84.00, the hours of that evening were the most pleasant and enjoyable that many of us ever spent. Some *do* say that the "light fantastic toe" was tripped. Be that as it may; if such a thing had happened it would have been cruel to demur. The next in order was a collection taken up at the U. P. Church, over which Rev. S. Taggart presides, of $60.00. And now, last but not least, a letter came from Peabody, Kansas, written by a lady formerly a resident of this place, in which she stated that some of her neighbors were in a destitute condition, and although she was in comfortable circumstances, yet she could not assist them in any degree. When the news of this letter spread over our little village, very soon two of our most amiable young ladies started out through snow, and mercury far below zero they succeeded in a very short time in collecting the following: A full size W. box packed with all varieties of ladies' wear—dresses, shawls, hose, men's coats, pants, vests, hats, thread, buttons, needles, &c., amounting (at less than auction prices), to $130.00; another large box in which were 230 lbs. of clear side bacon, value $23.00; groceries, $5.00; cash collected, $23.00, making in all for our town, $309.00. Now we do not present this to the public in a boasting way; but we do want every other village to act promptly. This is a very fine and suitable occasion for putting into practice "The Golden Rule."

O. B.

SPELLING CONTEST.

An Old Fashioned Affair at Cincinnati On Thursday Night.

An old fashioned spelling match was held on Thursday night, at Trinity M. E. Church, Cincinnati. Speaking of it the *Gazette*, of that city, says: The affair was arranged two weeks ago, at the last meeting of the Clark Institute. Mr. A. A. Clarke and T. A. H. Brown were appointed captains, and selected a list of twenty each, mainly chosen from the membership of the society. Henderson's Speller, containing about 1,500 test words, was announced as the source of trouble, and from the testimony of the booksellers, and the supreme confidence of some of the spellers last night, it is fair to suppose that most of the forty supplied themselves with the valuable work. The words were mainly arranged in groups, calculated to mislead the victim by the similar pronunciation of syllables. For instance, "inoculate," with one "n," would be followed by "innocuous" and "innoxious," with two, etc. After some preliminary musical exercises the spelling was announced as in order, and the two captains, gorgeously arrayed in button-hole bouquets, advanced and called off their lists. Both sides were found to be a few short, and requisitions were made upon the audience for recruits. At length nineteen of the chosen stood upon each side, and with set teeth and flushed faces awaited the shock. The first round brought down Miss Sackett, on "indictable;" Dr. McReynolds, on "irretrievable;" Mr. Kilbreth, on "laudably;" and one or two others. At the next fire fell Miss Sallie Cox, on "chrysalis;" Dr. R. B. Dravy, on "complaisant;" Dr. M. Cassat, on "ecstacy;" Miss Mitchell and Mr. Will Evarts, on "aqueduct," and Mr. C. W. Cole, on "acquiesce." The other words missed are as follows: Exhilarate, satirical, tyrannize, excrescence, uncontrollable, predilection, belligerent, tranquility, nutritious, conventicle, euphonious, destructible, battalion, ethereal, ammunition, flagellation, farinaceous, statistics, odoriferous, challengeable, pentateuch, empirical, deceivable, millennial. Among the number spelled down was Rev. D. H. Moore, formerly of this city. He missed "belligerent."

OUR STANDING.

A Comparison With Other Cities.

The *Road*, a trade paper published in New York and circulating over the United States, in speaking of the four great cities of the Mississippi Valley, says: "As two of the four cities named herein have more than once, we believe, annexed contiguous territory, and as the four counties containing said cities have not undergone any alteration of area since 1850, we have taken the counties for comparison, for the reason given, and also because Pittsburgh and Allegheny city, though essentially one community and in the same county, are two municipal bodies.

Population by counties at each census since 1850, inclusive.

	1870.	1860.	1850.
Cook county, Illinois, containing *Chicago*	349,966	144,954	43,385
St. Louis county, Missouri, containing *St. Louis city*	351,189	190,524	104,978
Hamilton county, Ohio, containing *Cincinnati*	260,370	216,410	156 844
Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, containing *Pittsburgh*	262,204	178,831	138,290

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DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, March 2, 1875.

The very disagreeable condition of the weather and our streets yesterday, added to the general dullness of financial matters in the city. There is no change to note in the aspect of affairs and we still report the money market very easy for borrowers, with the supply of capital in excess of the demand. There was but little inquiry for local stocks and bonds, but the few transactions made public were at last week's figures. Real estate is extremely dull at present. About the only good properties offering will be found in our For Sale column.

—The following shows the condition of all the National Banks in the United States December 31st and October 2, the same being an abstract, so far as it relates to December 31st, of the full report just issued, of the Controller of the Currency:

RESOURCES.

	Dec. 31, 1874.	Oct. 2, 1874.
Loans and discounts...$	950,898,978	$ 949,870,627
Overdrafts	4,963,602	4,524,163
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	382,976,200	383,254,800
U. S. bonds to secure deposits	14,714,000	14,691,700
Do. on hand	15,290,300	13,313,550
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages	28,313,473	27,807,826
Due from redeeming and reserve agents	80,488,831	83,885,126
Due from other national banks	48,100,842	39,695,309
Due State banks and bankers	11,655,573	11,196,611
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	39,190,683	38,102,926
Current expenses	5,510,566	7,658,728
Premiums paid	8,606,112	8,376,659
Checks and other cash items	14,005,517	12,296,416
Exchanges for clearing-house	112,995,317	97,383,687
Bills of other national banks	22,508,036	18,422,818
Bills of State banks	24,300	27,295
Fractional currency	2,392,668	2,224,943
Specie	22,436,761	21,240,945
Legal tender notes	82,604,791	80,016,946
U. S. certificates of deposit for legal tender notes	33,670,000	42,830,000
Five per cent. redemption fund with the U. S. Treasurer	16,935,063	17,054,106
Due from U. S. Treasurer other than five per cent. redemption fund	4,108,020	3,295,843
Total	$1,902,409,638	$1,877,180,942

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in...$	496,802,481	$ 493,765,121
Surplus fund	130,485,641	128,958,106
Undivided profits	51,477,629	51,484,437
National bank notes outstanding	331,193,159	333,225,298
State bank notes outstanding	850,775	964,997
Dividends unpaid	6,088,845	3,516,846
Individual deposits	682,846,149	669,068,994
United States deposits	7,492,307	7,302,153
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	3,579,722	3,927,028
Due to National Banks	129,186,671	125,102,049
Due to state banks and bankers	51,629,602	50,718,007
Notes and bills rediscounted	6,365,652	4,197,392
Bills Payable	5,398,900	4,950,727
Total	$1,902,409,638	$1,877,180,942
Number of banks	2,027	2,004

—We give the following summary of a highly important decision recently given by the New York Court of Appeals relative to the value of warehouse receipts. The point is this: The First National Bank of Toledo advanced $15,345.80 for the purchase of a cargo of wheat, under an agreement that the drafts should be drawn upon certain parties in New York, and that the bills of lading should be given in the name of the bank as a security for the payment of the drafts. When the wheat arrived in New York it was put in a warehouse by the purchaser, who received the usual warehouse receipt from the warehouseman, and upon this the warehouseman borrowed $14,000 from the Guaranty and Indemnity Company. One of the drafts forwarded against the property was for $14,000 at thirty days, and when it became due, the parties upon whom it was drawn being insolvent, it went to protest. The Guaranty Company then claimed the grain, and at the trial of the case a verdict was ordered in their favor. This verdict has now been reversed by the Court of Appeals, on the ground that the grain was the property of the bank, and that the warehouseman had no right to issue any receipt to any one except the owner, as the mere fact of possession is no evidence of title.

—The foreign imports at Baltimore last week have been very heavy, and the exports exceed those of last week about $200,000, the foreign shipments amounting in value to about $510,000, against $310,000 last week. The principal items of the shipments are as follows: 105,640 bushels corn, 17,498 bushels wheat, 2,270 bushels cloverseed, 2,000 bushels peas, 2,695 bales cotton, 225 bales hair, 173 hhds., 100 cases tobacco, 200 cases canned goods, 1,270 tierces lard, 720 boxes meat, 200 tons oil cake, and 700 tons coal.

Luther S. Kauffman, Broker, No. 96 Fourth avenue, furnishes the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

	Opened.	Asked.
Gold	114⅜	114½
U. S. Sixes—1861—coupon	119⅜	119⅝
5-20 1862	116⅜	116⅝
20—1864	117½	117⅝
" 1865	119⅜	119⅝
" 1865 new	118⅜	118⅝
" 1867	119⅜	119⅝
" 1868—coupons	119½	119⅝
10-40's	113⅜	113⅝
Currency 6's	118⅜	118⅝
New 5 per cents	114⅜	114½
10-40's—coupons	114	113⅝

RAILWAYS.

New York Central	101¼	101½
Erie	26½	26⅜
I. C	100	
C. C. & I. C		
St. Paul	32⅜	34½
Do. Pref	51	52½
Michigan Southern	72⅞	73⅜
Do Central	72⅜	
North Western Common	39½	40⅝
Do. Pref	51⅝	53
Rock Island	103⅜	103½
Pacific Mail	31⅝	37⅝
Western Union Telegraph	73⅜	75
Ohio & Mississippi	24⅜	25⅜
Union Pacific	40⅝	41⅝
Toledo & Wabash	11⅞	12
Harlem	128	
Adams Express	101	
American Express	63⅜	
U. S. Express	57	
W., Fargo & Co Express	85	
Fort Wayne	98	
Hannibal & St. Joseph		20⅝
Panama	111	

Luther S. Kauffman furnishes the following quotations of active stock on the Philadelphia Stock Board to-day:

	Bid.	Asked.
P. R. R.	55⅜	
" " scrip	107½	
Reading	56⅝	
United Cos. of N. J.	132	
Oil Creek	10⅞	11⅛
Lehigh Valley	63½	
Central Transportation	44⅜	44⅝
A. V. R. R. 7-30	91⅝	92

NEW YORK, March 1, 1875.

Money was easy at 2½@3. Sterling was quiet at 482 for sixty days and 486 for demand. Gold was dull and firm at 114⅜@114½. The carrying rates were 1@3 per cent. The Assistant Treasurer paid $462,000 for interest and $3,000 in the redemption of bonds. The customs receipts were $531,000. The gold cleared was $37,115,000. The imports of specie for the week were $1,014,535. Government bonds are firm. State bonds are dull and firm. Railroad mortgages are advancing. Stocks were active during the day, closing buoyant at an advance of 2½ in Pacific Mail, 1½ in Western Union, 1¼ in Union Pacific, recovery in Northwest of 1⅜, and St. Paul of 1⅜ from the lowest point of the day, and a rise of ¼@⅜ in the rest of the list. The transactions aggregated 288,000 shares, including 109,000 Pacific Mail, 41,400 Western Union, 37,400 Union Pacific, 38,800 Northwestern, 21,000 Lake Shore, 92,000 St. Paul, 8,100 Wabash, 6,400 Erie, 5,400 Northwest preferred, 4,900 Ohios, 1,700 Rock Island, and 1,400 St. Paul preferred.

Governments.—U.S. coupons of 1881, 119½; 5-20's of '62, 117¼; do of '64, 117½; do of '65, 119⅜; do '65 new, 118⅜; do of '67, 119⅜; do of '68, 119⅜; new 5s, 114⅜; 10-40s, do. div., 114⅜; currency 6s, 118⅜.

State Bonds.—Missouri 6s, 97; Tennessee, old, 66; do new, 65; Virginia, new, 32; do old 28; North Carolina, old, 26; do new, 12.

Stocks.—Canton, 61; Western Union Telegraph Company, 74⅞; Quicksilver, 33⅜; Adams Express, 101½; Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express 85½; American Merchants Union Express, 63⅜; United States Express, 58; Pacific Mail, 37⅞; New York Central, 101⅜; Erie, 26⅜; do preferred, 41⅜; Harlem, 128; do pref'd, 125; Michigan Central, 73; Pittsburgh, 90½; Northwestern common, 40⅛; do preferred, 53⅝; Rock Island, 103⅜; New Jersey Central, 108⅛; St. Paul, 34⅛; do preferred, 52⅜; Toledo & Wabash, 12; do preferred, 15; Fort Wayne, 98; Terre Haute, 6⅛; do preferred, 25; Chicago & Alton, 102½; do preferred, 106; Ohio & Mississippi, 25⅜; Burlington & Quincy, 105½; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 64⅜; Lake Shore, 73⅜; Panama, 6⅝; Illinois Central, 100⅜; Union Pacific, 41⅛; Central Pacific, 97⅜; Union, 97½; Delaware & Lackawanna, 110⅜.

COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS—WEEKLY REVIEW.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, March 1, 1875.

As noted in our report of yesterday, there is a more cheerful feeling in commercial circles, and with navigation resumed and better weather, the business outlook is improving; in some branches of trade there was an improvement during the past week, and we think it will continue to improve from this on. So far as our local and city trade is concerned, the lock-out is the most serious drawback, and what is still worse, there is no telling when it will be ended; it is hoped that the puddlers will soon become satisfied to accept the situation and resume work, but they may hold out for months yet. There has been an increased degree of activity in the grain trade during the past week, the volume of business having been unusually large, but there were no important changes in prices, and the demand, as a rule, is still confined to supplying immediate wants. The grocery trade continues dull, and the provision market is not to say active, although it is not much behind what it usually is at this season of the year. In general produce there is a fair business, but about the only important change in prices was in potatoes, which have been advanced in consequence of a temporary scarcity. Butter is dull and drooping.

APPLES—The receipts were unusually large during the past week in consequence of the fine weather, shippers being anxious to move their stock before it would get cold again again, and the supply has been considerably enlarged; however, there is a very fair demand, and sellers evince no disposition to make concessions in order to effect sales. Sales, in a jobbing way, at $2@2.50 per barrel for common to fair and $3@3.50 for prime to choice.

APPLE BUTTER—There is no perceptible improvement in the demand, and with continued liberal receipts, the supply is large and accumulating; selling slowly at 50@55c ₩ gallon.

ALE—Brewers are feeling better, in consequence of the proposed repeal of the local-option law, which is a serious drawback to their trade here and elsewhere, notwithstanding it was argued when it was first brought before the Legislature that there would be as much, if not more, drinking done after than before the law was enacted. Prices remain unchanged; X at $9 ₩ barrel to the country and $8 to city; XX, $10; India Ale, $11. Half bbls. in regular proportion.

ASHES—Trade continues very quiet, as it nearly always is at this season of the year, but prices remain as last quoted. Common Soda, 3½c; refined do., 4½; Potash, 8 to 8½; Pearlash, 9; Black Lead, 4; Fluor Spar, 1¾; Nitrate Soda, 3½.

BEANS—There has been an increased trade during the past week, the volume of business having been unusually large, and we notice also that there has been a corresponding improvement elsewhere; some of our most observant produce men have been expecting that there would be an increased consumption before long, in consequence of their being about the cheapest article of food that could be obtained, and the indications now are that they will largely take the place of potatoes during the next two or three months; quotable at $1.80@1.85 for mediums and $1.95@2 for navies.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—There does not appear to be the same inquiry that there was a couple of weeks ago, but the supply is small in this market, and prices, in consequence, are still maintained; 3@3¼c ₩ lb.

BUTTER—The receipts during the past week were large, unusually so, and with a light demand, the supply steadily accumulating and a stronger pressure to sell, the market is depressed and prices are weak with a drooping tendency; we reduce our quotations to 25 to 28 cents for prime to choice rolls; 18@22c for fair to good, and 12@15 for common. The outlook is not favorable for an early improvement, as nearly all the leading markets are reported dull and drooping, which may be attributed to the hard times, so many people out of employment, and then again there appears to have been an unusually large stock in the hands of makers and country dealers and storekeepers, who, until quite recently, have been holding back in hopes of a better market.

BROOM HANDLES—Choice No. 1 plain, $17@18; good, $15@16; choice No. 1 painted, $28@30; good No. 1 painted, $25@27; Toy Handles, painted, $20@22.50.

BROOM CORN—The condition of affairs in this market has not varied much from last week. The demand is fair, and holders are not anxious sellers under advices from the West, which report the market there firmer than ever, with a good demand. We quote Choice Hurl, 12½@13½c; Choice Green, that will work itself into a hurl broom, 12@12½; good to fair 11@11½; common 10@10½ cents.

BROOMS—Have been further advanced, in sympathy with Corn. Following are the "Union" factory rates: No. 7 common, $3.00; No. 3 Hurl, $3.25; No. 4, $3.75; No. 5, $4.25; No. 6, $4.50; No. 2 Carpet, $4.75; No. 1, $5.00; fancy, Parlor, $5.50; Steamboat Brooms, $4.25@5; Wisps, plain, $1.50@2; Wisps, fancy, $1.75@2.25; Toy Brooms, $1.75@2.25.

BEESWAX—So far as we can learn, there is little or no movement in this article here, and, in the absence of sales, prices may be quoted nominal at 27@30c ₩ lb.

CHEESE—There has been an increased trade during the past week, and with continued light receipts and the supply being steadily reduced, the general tone of the market is decidedly firmer, and an early advance is not improbable. We continue former quotations: prime Ohio Goshen, 16½@17c; ditto New York, 17½@18. The New York market continues firm, as since the leading foreign markets, and it is said that current rates here would not more than cover actual cost, taking the prices at the source of supply, cost of transportation and other expenses, into consideration. Ohio Sweitzer, 15@16 and dull.

CRANBERRIES—Quiet and unchanged; sales at $10@12 for fair to prime eastern and $13@14 for fancy brands. The supply, although not large, is fully equal to present requirements.

COKE—Trade continues quiet, and, so far as we can learn, devoid of any new features worthy of special notice; the demand continues light, and prices are nominally unchanged. We continue to quote at $2.50 ₩ ton, delivered free on cars in Pittsburgh.

CANNED GOODS—There is no animation in the market for goods of this character, but it is probable that there will be an increased demand for some of the leading articles before long, in view of the fact that prices are lower than they have been for many years. Peaches, (3 lb cans) quotable at $3.40@3.50 ₩ dozen; Tomatoes, $1.75@1.90; Corn, $2.50@2.60.

CEMENT, ETC., ETC.—Youghiogheny Cement, $1.75@2 ₩ bbl; Louisville, $2@2.25; Rosendale; $3@3.50; Portland, $7@7.50. Plaster—French's Selected, $4@4.25; New York, $3.25@3.50; Mills & Co.'s, $3@3.25. White Lime—Sandusky, Cleveland, Sawyer's, Fremont, $1.65@1.75. White Sand, $1.50@1.75 ₩ bbl.

CORDAGE AND ROPE—The demand for goods of this character continues light, as it usually is at this season of the year, but as navigation is resumed an increased demand for Rope is not improbable. No change in prices. Following are the card rates:

MANILA ROPE.

½ in. diameter and upwards	15½cts. per lb.
⅜ inch	16½ "
¼ and 5-16 in. diameter	16½ "
Tarred Rope and Lath Yarn	17 "
Hay, Stave and Leather Twine	17 "

OIL WELL DRILLING CABLES.

Hawser Laid	15½cts. per lb.
" Bolt Rope Yarns	17 "
Sand Pump Rope	17 "

SISAL ROPE.

½ inch diameter and upward	12½ cts. per lb.
⅜ inch	13 "
¼ and 5-16 in.	13½ "
Hay, spoke and leather twine	13 "

NEW ZEALAND ROPE.

½ inch diameter and upward	12½ cts per lb.
¼ and 5-16 in. diameter	13½ "
Hay twine	13 "
Tarred lath twine	12 "

JUTE ROPE.

All sizes	11 cts per lb.

AMERICAN AND RUSSIA.

Tarred Rope	14 cts per lb.
" Lath Yarn	14 "
" Spun Yarn	13 "
" Marline	19 "
" Houseline	19 "

PACKING.

American	13 to 18 cts per lb.
Russia	18 " "
Italian	21 " "
Pat. Lubricating	20 and 30 "
Sash and Bell Cord	20 to 35 " "

COPPER—There is an improved trade in manufactured Copper, the best evidence of which is that Hussey & Co. report that they are running their mill full time; prices have undergone no recent change.

DRESSED HOGS—8@8½c ₩ lb.

DRIED FRUIT—There is considerable inquiry for Apples, and with light receipts and a limited supply, the market is firmer, and prices are tending upward; quotable at 7@7½ for common to fair, and 8@8½ for prime to choice. Peaches, however, continue dull, and prices are barely maintained; 8½@9½c for halves, as to quality. Blackberries, 9@10. We understand that there are inquiries from other points for Apples.

EGGS—The market has been a shade easier during the past week, in consequence of the soft weather, which caused dealers to apprehend increased receipts, and prices are a shade lower in consequence. Fresh quotable at 35@36c, and pickled 25@30c—we are cognizant of sales of the former on Saturday at 36. It is not to be expected, however, that these prices can be maintained any length of time at this season of the year, hence dealers are mere disposed to realize than they were a few weeks ago.

FLOUR—There is no improvement to report in the demand for this important commodity, so far at least as our market is concerned, and prices have undergone no quotable change for several weeks—spring wheat flours, $6.25@6.50 for Wisconsins, and 5.50@5.75 for Minnesotas; winters, $5.50@5.75 for red and $6@6½ for amber and white. These are the jobbing rates; we hear of red winters, outside brands, being offered to the trade at $5@5.25. The demand for Spring wheat flours is confined almost entirely to supplying the wants of the baker trade, who contend that it is stronger and makes better bread than winter wheat flours. Rye Flour, $5.50@5.75.

FEATHERS—Demand improving, with an advance in prices; sales at 50@53 cents, according to quality.

GROCERIES—Coffee—The large transactions on the seaboard during the last week, and especially on Friday, reduced the stock of Rio at all the ports, in first hands, to 102,085 bags, prices closing on Saturday ¼ down and the market easy. Java still holds up under a limited supply. The stock at Rio is quite large, and the daily receipts there about 7,000 bags; the purchases and shipments for the United States aggregating 100,000 bags. The heavy purchases above alluded to would indicate that the eastern jobbers and speculators are not much afraid of Coffee at the present figures; but with the dull business now everywhere prevailing, and stocks accumulating on the seaboard, a still further shrinkage of values may not be improbable. Sugar is better in all quarters at an advance all round. The New Orleans market for both Sugar and Molasses is firmer, with the latter pretty high up, as will be seen from the following figures as quoted by A. Thomson & Co., New Orleans, to their correspondent here, under date of 24th ult. This firm also report a continuance of rainy weather, causing a diminition of receipts, which, together with the proposed increase of duty has stimulated the market, with prompt sales of all goods arriving.

Inferior Sugar	5 @ 5¾
Common "	6 @ 6½
Fair "	7⅛@ 7½
Prime "	7 @
Choice "	7 @
Yellow clarified	8¼@
Fair molasses, unfermenting	50 @52
Prime "	60 @
Choice "	64 @65
Fair to prime fermenting molasses	45 @48

Refined Strong at the late advance. Rice of all descriptions dull at unchanged figures. Syrups steady. Teas without change in values, but business is quiet.

SUGARS.

Crushed	11⅛	Standard B	10⅛
Granulated	11⅛	Ex C Standard	10⅛
Powdered	11⅛	Demarara	9½@10¼
Standard A	10⅝	Porto Rico	8⅝@ 9⅝
N. O. Sugar	8¼@ 9¼		

SYRUPS.

Sugar house	35@40	Sugar Drips	55@60
Maryland	45	White Drips	60@65
Silver Drips	55	Extra Golden	65@70

COFFEES.

Rio Good	21 @22
Rio Prime	22 @24
Rio Fancy	23 @24
Roasted Rio, in lb packages	25 @26
Roasted loose	28
Roasted Java, in lb packages	27½
Roasted Java loose	40
	39½

RICE.

Rangoon ₩ lb	7 @7½	Patna ₩ lb	7½@8
Carolina ₩ lb	8 @8½		

MOLASSES.

Porto Rico	50@55	New Orleans	73@75
Demarara	50@55		

SPICES.

Grain Pepper	28	Ground Ginger, 10 lb cans	31
" Allspice	20	Ground Allspice, 10 lb cans	25
Cloves	60	Ground Cloves, 10 lb cans	82
Cassia, Bark	40	Ground Mustard, 10 lb cans, Durham	35
Nutmegs	$1 40		
Ground Pepper, 10 lb cans	35		
Ground Cinnamon, 10 lb c	50		

TOBACCO.

Lorillard's Perfection, lbs	63	Orange Girl, dark 3d	60
Circassian Girl,		Virginia Darks	56
D. T	68	Spun Roll	56
Sultana's	68	Imperadora Fine Cut	85
Gold Bar	68	Perfection	78
Five Bro.'s ⅝ lb		Sportsman	55
D. T. and 3d	62	Perfection	33
Monitor	62	A. A	33
Weyman's	$18 50	F. G	33
Eng. Shag	18 00		
Tom and Jerry	36		

SOAPS.

Babbit's Best	10	S.E. & Co's Sup. Wax	6
Babbit's N. Y. City	10	Woman's Friend	6¼
Russian	$6 00	Scrubbing	4
Shat I. O. U.	5 75	ParkCo.'sToilet, per box, 3 d.	$1 75
Persian	3 75	ParkCo.'s Glycerine, per box, 3 doz	1 75
Colgate's Palm, ⅛s and ¼s	4 75	Park Co.'s Honey	1 75
Colgate's Ass't Toilet	4 50	Cashmere Bouquet, per grs	36 00
Colgate's	1 75		
Ex. Erbra Wax	7		
Olive	6		

STARCH.

Common	06	Silver gloss	9½@10
Buffalo	09	Corn	10½@11

SUNDRIES.

Oat Meal, in bbls, A. & B	$8.50 @ 9.00
Oat Meal, half bbls	5.00
Pearl Barley, hf brls	7.00 @ 7.50
Currants, per lb	7½
Valencia Raisins, per lb	12
Layer Raisins, per box	3.25
Indigo, per lb	1.35 @ 1.50
Bi Carb Soda as, packages	7½@ 8
Bi Carb Soda, in kegs	6½
Potash, per box	9.00
Prunes, per lb	13 @ 14
French Wine Vinegar, per gal	55
Con. Lye, per case	7.75
Lamp Chimneys, per doz	65

GRAIN—There has been a very fair degree of activity in grain circles during the past week, but the markets, in a general way, are devoid of any new or important features to which reference has not previously been made; the demand is entirely local, and restricted mainly to supplying immediate wants, while as regards values, there have been no important changes. The market for Wheat continues quiet and unchanged; Penna and Ohio red, $1.14@1.16; amber and white, $1.18@1.20. It is said that a large percentage of the country mills are stopped, some are frozen up, but the main cause we apprehend, is the unsatisfactory condition of the market for the product, as it is claimed that Wheat is higher relatively than flour, so that there is no margin for profit. The Oat market continues fairly active, although it is said that many dealers are substituting Corn in its place in consequence of it being so much cheaper; quotable at 64@64½c, for mixed and 65½@66 for white, free in elevator. Ear Corn has been in steady demand during the past week, and we can report regular sales at 75@77, according to quality. Shelled has also been moving pretty freely; selling at 70@72 for white and mixed, and 73@74c for yellow, free in elevator. Rye continues in light supply and selling readily upon arrival at $1.10@1.12.

HIDES—The market remains quiet for all descriptions except plump heavy steers, which are in good demand. Kip and Calf are in fair demand and scarce. Prices unchanged. We quote:

Green Salted Cows	9	cts. ₩ lb.
" Steers, Light	9½	"
" " Heavy	10@10½	"
" Calf	12@13	"
Green butcher bulls	5	"
Green butcher cows	6	"
Green butcher steers, light	7	"

HOMINY—$4.25@4.50 ₩ bbl.

HAY—There has been a steady demand for baled during the past week, the volume of business was unusually large, and while there was no quotable change in prices, the general tone and spirit of the market is firmer; prairie, $17@19; timothy $20@23. Oat Straw, $16@18; Wheat Straw, $14@15. Loose Hay, from country wagons, $27@32, according to quality.

HEMP—Advanced to $170@180 ₩ ton for Kentucky rough.

LEATHER—The general market is much the same as at last reported. Fine light spready Harness is in good demand; medium weight is dull and low; heavy in fair demand; Upper, Kip and Calf are very dull; rough Leather is in better demand. We quote:

Oak Sole, country	0,34@ 0,37
Oak Sole, city	0,35@ 0,42
Red Sole, B. A. heavy and mid	0,32@ 0,33
Red Sole, Orenoco	0,29@ 0,31
Red Sole, good dgd	0,27@ 0,29
Oak, Rough	0,28@ 0,34
Harness, city oak	0,38@ 0,41
Harness, country	0,36@ 0,38
Harness, No. 2 and common	0,32@ 0,35
Fair Skirting	0,42@ 0,45
Fair Bridle, ₩ doz	63,00@70,00
Belt Leather	0,40@ 0,46
Finished Calf	1,10@ 1,40
Finished Upper, ₩ foot	0,19@ 0,24
Finished Kips	0,50@ 0,90

MILL FEED—There is a fair degree of activity but no quotable change in prices; Bran, $1.25@1.30 per cwt; Shipstuffs and Shorts, $1.30@1.35; Middlings, $1.40@1.50; Chopped Feed, $1.50@1.60.

ONIONS—$3@4 ₩ bbl.

PEA NUTS—Held firmer with a prospect of an advance; sales choice White, $½; choice Red, 7.

POULTRY—There has been a very fair demand during the past week, and with a light supply, prices were fully sustained; dressed Chickens, 15@14 cents; do. Turkeys, 16@17c. No live Chickens offering.

POTATOES—Have been in light supply all week, and prices, in consequence, have been advanced, and they are higher now than they have been at any time since last spring; selling, in a jobbing way, at $1.10@1.15 ₩ bushel, the outside figure for prime Peach Blows. It is not likely, however, that these prices will be sustained any length of time, as it is expected that, as soon as the weather moderates, the farmers will be more liberal, and, in addition, there will not be so many wanted at the advance.

PROVISIONS—Trade in the hog product is not to say active, yet it is all that can be reasonably expected at this season of the year; and the general tone of the market is weaker, under the influence of recent advices from the west. Following are the current rates:

Hams—Extra S. C.	13½	Lard—Prime Leaf in tierces, ₩ lb	14½
Shoulders, Ex. S. C.	10	Do., half barrels	15
B'fast Bacon, S. C.	13½	Lard—Ref. for summer use in tierces	
Dried Beef, Ex. Sugar Cured, old	15	Do., in ½ bbls	
Beef Tongues Sugar Cured, ₩ doz	$7.00	Do., in kk'ts	
Bacon Shoulders	8¾	Do., 3 lb. caddies	17½
Short Rib Sides	11¼	Do., 5 lb do	17
Clear Sides	12¼	Do., 3 lb pails	17½
Mess Pork, ₩ bbl.	$20.50	Do., 5 lb do	17½
Miner's Lard Oil		Do., 10 lb do	17
Lard Oil, per gal	$1.12	Ham Sausage	10
Carbon Oil	12	Cheese, per lb	17
¼ bbl Pigs Feet		Miner's Lard Oil	85
½ bbl Pigs Feet		½ bbl Pigs Feet	2.00

PEAS—$1.90@2 ₩ bush.

RAGS—Quiet and unchanged; regular sales at 2½@3c for good mixed, woolen ½c ₩ lb.

SWEET CORN—7@8c ₩ lb.

SUMAC—Choice Southern, $90 ₩ ton of 2,240 lbs, for 4½c ₩ lb in a small way.

SEEDS—Trade has been very quiet during the past week, and while there has been no decided change in prices, the feeling, especially as regards Clover, is not as strong as it has been. Quotations may be fairly given at $6.50@7 ₩ bush for Clover, and Timothy at $2.90@3.25.

TALLOW—City, 8½@9; country, 7½@8.

WHITE LEAD—Is firmer and more active, but unchanged; standard brands, 10½c ₩ lb by the ton, and 11@11½c for smaller lots.

WILLOWS—Choice fine at 11c ₩ lb: large, 10; two-years growth, 7@8.

WOODEN WARE—Revised quotations are: No 1 three-hoop tubs, $8.00; No 1 two-hoop tubs, $7.50; No 2 two-hoop tubs, $6.50; two-hoop pails, $2.10; three-hoop pails, $2.35 ₩ doz; keelers, ₩ nest, $1.50. Globe Wash-boards, $2.75; I. X. L. Wash-boards, $2.35; Kalamazoo clothes-pins (full count) $1.50 per box; round head clothes-pins, $1 ₩ box.

WINDOW GLASS—Trade is only fair, but it is hoped and expected there will soon be a change for the better. No change in prices; we continue to quote discount of Fifty-five per cent. for round lots at 70 & 5 to 70 & 10 ₩ cent.

PER BOX OF FIFTY FEET—SINGLE STRENGTH.

	2d Quality.	1st Quality.	Dbl. st'h.
6 by 8 to 7 by 9	$	$ 75	$10 00
7 by 10 to 8 by 10	$7 00	7 75	11 00
8 by 11 to 10 by 12	7 50	8 75	12 00
9 by 14 to 10 by 15			13 00
11 by 11 to 12 by 17			14 00
12 by 18 to 28 by 24			15 00
14 by 20 to 28 by 30		14 00	20 00
15 by 26 to 20 by 30		14 00	22 00
18 by 30 to 24 by 30		15 00	24 00
26 by 28 to 24 by 36		17 00	26 00
25 by 36 to 30 by 44		18 00	28 00
26 by 36 to 30 by 50		20 00	30 00
26 by 46 to 30 by 54		23 00	32 00
30 by 46 to 30 by 54		25 00	34 00
30 by 56 to 34 by 56		28 00	38 00
34 by 58 to 33 by 60		30 00	40 00
36 by 60 to 40 by 60		32 00	45 00

All sizes over 52 inches in length, and not making 84 united inches, will be charged in 84 united inches bracket. An additional 10 ₩ cent. will be charged for all glass more than 40 inches wide. Orders taken by agents are subject to approval of manufacturers when received.

ALLEGHENY LIVE STOCK MARKET, —WEEKLY REVIEW.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, March 1, 1875.
ALLEGHENY STOCK YARDS.

CATTLE.

The number on sale to-day was light as compared with last week, about 10 cars less, of which 29 cars were from Chicago; the receipts from Ohio, as well as the adjoining country, have been gradually falling off for some time past, until we are now dependent mainly upon Chicago for supplies. In former years it was nothing unusual to have from 10 to 15 cars by the C. & P. R. R. and nearly as many more by the Fort Wayne from different sections of Ohio, and we are led to the conclusion that a good many of the Ohio shippers, who formerly shipped regularly to this market, are now shipping to Baltimore by the B. & O. Railroad, as cost of transportation, so we are informed, by the latter road is but little more to Baltimore than it is here by the C. & P. and P., F. W. & C. Railroads, (both controlled by the Penna. Co.) The market to-day, as might be expected, in consequence of the light supply, was more active, butchers did not hold back or consume much time in going from pen-to-pen, as they nearly always do when there is a full or oversupply, in hopes of being able to force sellers to make concessions; they were not about the yards long before they discovered that there was no chance to bear prices down, hence they commenced to buy almost as soon as they arrived, and the result was that the pens were pretty well cleared by ten o'clock. All kinds of butcher cattle ruled firm and sold more readily, but we do not think there was any general or quotable change in prices, except for Bulls, of which there was an over supply, and prices declined from 20 to 30 cents per cwt as compared with last week. Prime to extra butcher cattle, 7@7½; medium to good, 6@6½; fair, 5@5½; common, 4@4½. Bulls, of which there was about 50 on sale, ranged from 3½@5c, as to quality; there were some sold as high as 5¼@5c last Monday, but they were better in point of quality than those on sale to-day.

Following shows the number of cattle on sale, the States they were from as well as the names of the owners:

S Lowenthal	Chicago	20	L Rothchilds	Chicago	35
B S Traurman	do	38	Traurman & R	do	13
Kahn & L	do	108	Zeigler & R	do	35
E Katz	do	17	A Haas	do	19
Marks Bro	do	49	Kiefer & G	do	52
Arnold & W	do	18	Zeigler & A	do	20
A Greenwald	do	51	M Krause	do	18
W Moonshine	do	15	Holmes L & co	Ohio	20
J Needy	Ohio	36	M Kauffman	Penna	10
J Becler	Penna	5			
Total number on sale					579
Total number on sale last Monday					805

SHEEP.

The number on sale was light, unusually so, aggregating but 329 head, yet the market was slow, and at 11 A. M. there were still some few, and good ones at that, remaining unsold; prices, however, were fully sustained, but butchers continue to complain that they have but a limited demand for mutton, also, that at present prices they have little or no margin for profit; indeed, some of them allege that if it was not for the mere matter of accommodating their customers that they would not buy a single sheep, and this, no doubt, is the main cause of the sharp falling off in the demand. Furthermore, there is not much prospect of a decline during the next 60 days, as growers are always indifferent about selling when clipping time is near at hand, as is the case now, and then as they are, as a general thing, comfortably situated, they are not obliged to realize in order to raise money, as is sometimes the case. Prime to extra, 6½@7; there was one little bunch sold to-day at 7½; medium to good, 5½@6; common, 4½@5; scalawags, $1.50@2 ₩ head. The stock on sale was reported as follows:

John Becler	Penna	24	W Gregg	Penna	22
M A Reed	do	23	R McCaslin & Co	do	78
Biggert & Co	do	80	J F Neeley	do	5
H Ewing	do	51	Jos Mospet	do	40
Total number on sale					329
Total number on sale last week					683

HOGS.

The supply was only fair and mostly in the hands of regular dealers; trade was moderately active considering the disagreeable condition of the weather, but prices were without important change; sales were made, in a retail way, at 7¼@7½, gross, as to quality; the general tone of the market was firmer, in sympathy with the advance at East Liberty, our main source of supply. James Hunter had a full car load from Chicago, for the tops of which he obtained 7.65.

FRESH COWS.

There was a fair supply considering the disagreeable condition of the weather, and they were about all sold; good milkers continue to bring very full rates, as there are but few of this kind offering. Quotable at $65@75 for prime to extra; $45@55 for fair to good, and $20@35 for common.

VEAL CALVES.

The market remains substantially as noted in our last report; selling at 6@7c ₩ lb for fair to prime.

Receipts of Pig Metal, Ore Blooms, and Muck Bar.

PENNA R. R.

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ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

Kloman & C Bro m		5 Nimick & co m	2
Total			7

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Nimick & Co p	2	Lucy Furnace o	3
Cambria Iron Wks p	7	Isabella Furnace o	12
Total			24

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R., LESSEE.

Caughey & H m	4	Nimick & Co m	2
Shoenberger B & Co o	10	Kloman & C o	14
Graff B & co m	1	Graff B & Co o	2
Total			33

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, March 1, 1875.

The Crude market continues strong in consequence mainly of the agitation of the "shut-down" project, and as compared with Saturday, prices have further advanced; United certificates quoted at $1.80 ₩ barrel at wells, and immediate shipment at $1.90@1.92½. It is stated, we cannot vouch for its truthfulness, that ten of the largest operators suspended operations at their wells on Saturday, which, no doubt, was the main cause of the sharp advance to which reference has just been made. A sale of 1,000 barrels, buyers' option, first six months, at wells, was reported on Saturday at $2. Refined firmer, in sympathy with the raw article, but quotations are nominal, as there is little or nothing doing; quotable at 11⅛@11⅜ on cars here to go to Baltimore; 14⅛ delivered in Philadelphia, and 14½@14⅝ in New York. If present prices of the raw article are sustained, refined will have to go higher. Antwerp is also tending upward again.

The Barrel market continues dull and prices are nominally unchanged.

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL PER ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls.
Greer & c	Sunbeam O W	315
N W Stevenson	Liberty O W	310
Total		625

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 1, 1875.

FLOUR—Demand good at full prices; superfine $3.75; extra $4.20@4.50.

GRAIN—Wheat active, but firm; No 2 spring 90@91c; No 2 86½c spot or seller March; 88c seller April; 92½c seller May; 93⅛c seller June; No 3 86½c; rejected 78c. Corn active; No 2 64½c spot or seller March; 65½c seller April; 71⅛c bid seller May; 69⅜@70c seller June; rejected 62½@63½c. Oats: demand active and prices advanced: No 2 53½c spot; 53⅞c seller April; 56½c seller May. Rye active: No 1 98@99c. Barley: demand fair and market firm; No 2 $1.12. Clover seed $6.25@6.35.

PROVISIONS—Dressed hogs firm at $7.65@8.12½. Pork firm at $18.25 spot; $18.52½@18.55 seller April; $18.82½@18.85 seller May. Lard active; $13.30 spot or seller March; $13.52½@13.55 seller April. Bulk meats steady, in moderate demand, but unchanged.

WHISKY—Steady and in moderate demand at $1.05.

On call Board grains were unchanged. Pork firmer; $18.27½@18.30 March; $18.57½ April. Lard firmer; 13⅛c May; $13.32½ March.

New York.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Flour firmer; receipts 15,000 bush; superfine western and State $4.25@4.75; common to good $4.80@4.85; white wheat extra $5.15@6.00; extra Ohio $4.75@6.50; St. Louis $4.85@8. Rye flour unchanged. Corn meal more active at $3.85@4.40. Wheat in moderate demand; receipts 21,000 bush; No 1 spring $1.16@1.19; No 3 do $1.05@1.08; No 2 Milwaukee $1.11@1.13½; winter red western $1.22@1.28; white western $1.25@1.35. Rye quiet at $4@95c. Barley heavy at $1.30. Malt quiet. Corn firmer; receipts 67,000 bushels; mixed western 83½@84½c; yellow 84@84½c. Oats quiet and firm; receipts 12,000 bush; mixed western 67@69c; white 68@71. Hay and groceries quiet and unchanged. Petroleum firm and unsettled; refined 14⅛@15c; crude 7¾@8c. Rosin steady at $2.10@2.15. Turpentine quiet at 36c. Eggs irregular at 30@40c. Pork firmer at $19.50. Beef quiet. Cut meats quiet. Middles steady at 10¼@10⅝c. Lard firmer at 13⅞@13 13-16c. Butter heavy at 15@24c. Whisky unsettled and nominal at $1.05@1.07. Cloverseed dull and nominal; western $10.50@10.75.

Foreign.

LONDON, March 1—5 P. M.—The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day was £5,000. Consols: money 93@93⅛; account 93⅛@93¼. 5-20's of '65, 107⅛; do of '67, 107⅛; 10-40's, 103; new 5s, 103; New York Central, 92; Erie, 24; do preferred, 41.

PARIS, March 1.—Rentes 84f. 90c.

LONDON, March 1.—Refined petroleum 10½@10⅝d.

LIVERPOOL, March 1. — Cotton inactive: middling upland 7⅞@8d; Orleans 8⅛d; sales of 20,000 bales, including 6,000 bales for speculation and export and 12,900 bales American. Breadstuffs quiet. Corn 33s 3d@33s 9d. Spirits of petroleum 9⅛d; refined 10@11d. Bacon; long clear middles 47s 9d.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, March 1.—Flour quiet; some inquiry for Cuba superfine at $4.50; double $4.75; treble $5@5.25; choice $5.50@6. Corn scarce and firm at $1.05@1.10. Oats scarce at 71@72c. Bran dull at $1.20@1.25. Hay; prime dull at $25. Pork dull at $19@19½, as to weight. Dry salt meat firm at 7¾c, 7⅞c, 10@c, 10⅜@11⅛c. Bacon dull at 8⅜c, 11⅜@11⅝, 13. Hams dull at 13@13½c. Lard dull; tierce 14c; refined 14⅛@14⅝c; keg 14⅝@15c. Sugar in good demand and firmer; inferior 5@5¾c; common 6@6½c; fair to fully fair 7@7½c; prime to choice 8@8½c. Molasses firm. Centrifugal 40@54c; fair fermenting 45c; re-boiled 53c. Whisky dull; rectified $1.10@1.11. Coffee unchanged; fair to prime 17⅛@18⅝c. Corn meal advancing at $4.25@4.35.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, March 1. — Flour steady; Wisconsin and Minnesota extra family $6@6. Wheat held firmer; red $1.18@1.20; white $1.25@1.30. Rye 95c. Corn in good demand; yellow 80c; mixed 79c. Oats steady at 66@67c. Provisions steady. Pork $19.00@20. Smoked hams 12½@13½c; packed do 11c. Salted shoulders 7¾@8c. Petroleum firm; refined 14⅝@14⅝c; crude 10⅛c. Whisky $1.10. Cloverseed scarce at $11@11.75. Timothy and flaxseed unchanged. Butter quiet; New York and Bradford county extra 35@37c; do firsts 33@34c. Cheese quiet at 15⅛@16⅛c. Eggs steady at 31@33.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, March 1.—Flour steady; superfine $4@4.25. Wheat firmer; No 1 amber western $1.20@1.21; No 2 $1.13@1.19. Corn firmer at 79½c. Oats quiet and steady; white western 68c; mixed do 65@66c. Rye dull at $1@1.05. Hay dull at $18@21. Provisions firmer. Pork unchanged. Bulk meats firm; shoulders 7⅜c; clear rib 10⅛c. Bacon firm; shoulders 8⅜@8⅝c; clear rib 11⅜@11⅝c. Hams 14@15c. Lard dull at 13½@14c. Butter dull; good to fine western tub and rolls 22@28c. Petroleum quiet at 7⅛@7¾c. Coffee quiet; ordinary to prime in cargoes 16½@18¾c. Whisky firm at $1.10@1.11.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, March 1.—Cotton quiet at 15½c. Flour, Wheat, Rye and Barley unchanged. Corn dull at 65@66c. Oats steady at 59@62c. Oils unchanged. Eggs firm at 25c. Butter and Cheese firm and unchanged. Provisions steady, while holders demand full prices. Pork quiet at $19.00. Lard 13½c bid; 14c asked. Bulk meats: shoulders 6⅞c; clear rib 9⅞c; clear 10⅛c. Bacon quiet and unchanged. Whisky: demand fair and market firm at $1.07.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, March 1.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat firm; No 1 Milwaukee 91½c; No 2 86⅛c. Oats dull; No 2 52½c. Corn nominally unchanged; No 2 mixed 63c. Rye scarce and firm; No 1 $1.01@1.02. Barley demoralized and nominal; fresh No 2 $1.11; $1.10 seller March; No 3 in store $1.00.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, March 1.—Cotton firm at 15½c. Flour and Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn steady at 68@70c. Oats steady at 62@64c. Rye quiet at $1.10. Provisions steady; pork $19.50@20; bulk shoulders 7@7¼c; clear rib 10@10⅛c; clear 10⅜c. Bacon shoulders 8⅛c; sides 11@11⅜c. Sugar cured hams 13@13⅜c. Lard; good 14@14¼c; kegs 15¼c. Whisky $1.07.

Boston.

BOSTON, March 1.—Flour firm and in fair demand; superfine $4.25@4.50; common extras $5@5.25; Wisconsin and Minnesota do $5.25@6.25; white wheat Ohio, Indiana and Michigan $5.25@6.25; Illinois $5.50@7.00; St. Louis $5.50@8; fancy Minnesota $7@9. Corn quiet; mixed and yellow $7@90c. Oats quiet; mixed and white 70@74c.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, March 1.—Cotton firm at 13⅝@14⅛c. Flour quiet at $4.50@6.00. Wheat steady at $1.10. Corn steady at 80c. Oats steady at 72½c. Lard 14½c. Bacon firm; shoulders 7¾c; sides 11⅜@12c. Bulk meats firm; shoulders 7⅛c; sides 10¼@10⅜c. Sugar cured hams 14c, all packed. Whisky firm at $1.12.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, March 1.—Cotton higher at 14¼@15⅛c. Flour in good demand; superfine $3.25@3.50. Wheat active at $1.02⅛@1.06. Corn firmer at 64@65c. Oats quiet at 56@57c. Barley quiet at $1.15. Rye dull at 94c@$1.04. Whisky firm at $1.08. Pork firm at $18.75. Dry salt meats and bacon: only jobbing trade. Lard firm at 13¼c.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, March 1.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull; No 2 white Wabash $1.14½; extra white Michigan $1.14⅜; amber Michigan $1.07; No 2 red $1.07. Corn in fair demand and market firm; high mixed 68½c; low mixed 67⅛c. Oats a shade higher; No 2 57⅛; Michigan 58c; white 60c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, March 1.—Wheat steady and unchanged. Corn steady and unchanged. Oats firm and unchanged. Petroleum steady; standard white, car lots, 11½c; Ohio State test 12½c; small lots 1@2c higher.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, March 1.—Cotton firm at 15⅜c. Flour dull and nominal. Corn dull at 83½@84c. Oats dull at 70c. Lard dull at 14⅛@15c. Bulk meats quiet at 7⅛, 7¼, 10¼@10½. The markets are unsettled by the re-opening of navigation.

Detroit.

DETROIT, March 1.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat quiet; extra $1.13¼; No 1 $1.11¼; amber $1.07⅛. Corn quiet at 69c. Oats quiet at 59@59½c.

Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 1.—Flour quiet at $3.75@6.00. Wheat steady at $1@1.15. Corn steady at 58@63c. Oats steady at 56@59c. Rye steady at $1.07. Barley firm at $1.20@1.25.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, March 1.—Wheat dull; no sales. Corn dull; no sales. Barley quiet; no sales made public.

Live Stock.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Beeves: receipts yesterday and to-day 2,850 head, making 6,260 for the week, against 7,600 last week; quality fair, embracing common to extra; prices advanced ½c on all grades; market closed firm at 9⅛@13⅛c for native steers and oxen, with a very poor lot of Texans at 7⅜c; the sales include 20 cars Illinois steers 7@7½ cwt at 11@11½c; 20 cars 7¼@8 cwt 11⅜@12⅛c; 3 cars 6¾@6⅞ cwt 10⅞@11c; 6 cars 7½ cwt 11⅜@12c; 1 car 5⅞ cwt 10⅛c; 15 cars 6¾@7¼ cwt 10⅜@11⅛c; 7 cars 7½ cwt 11⅛@11½c; 7 cars 7¼ cwt 10⅝@10½c; 6 cars 8 cwt 12⅛@13⅛c; 6 cars 6 cwt 10@10½c; 6 cars 6¾ cwt 10@11c; 9 cars Ohio 9 cwt 13⅛@13⅝c; 2 cars 6¾ cwt 10@11c; 1 car Kentucky cattle 6 cwt 9½c; two cars Texans 5 cwt 7⅛c. Sheep: fresh receipts 4,870 head, making 1,985 for the week, against 23,890 last week; demand fair and trade moderately active at an advance from Friday last of ⅛c; closing quotations 5⅛@7⅛c; the sales include 1 car Ohio sheep of 105 lbs at 7⅛c; 1 car 94 lbs 6⅜c; 1 car do 118 lbs at 7⅜c; 2 cars do 86 lbs at 6⅜c; 1 car 81 lbs at 6c; one car 72 lbs at 5⅜c. Swine: receipts yesterday and to-day 10,100, making 26,280 for the week, against 31,800 last week; none offered alive; dressed firmer; 8⅞@9c for city; 8⅜@8⅝c for western.

CHICAGO, March 1. — Cattle: receipts since Saturday 2,500 head; market quiet; sales at 3@5⅝c, chiefly 3¾@4⅝c for stockers; 3⅞@4⅝c for butchers and 4⅞@5⅝c for common to good shipping. Shipments 1,080. Hogs; receipts 7,000 head; fairly active and firm; sales range $6.25@7.60, the latter for only one bunch of fancy; trading chiefly at $6.60@7; shipments 4,400. Sheep: receipts 600 head; market fair shipping demand at full prices; range 3½@6c.

ST. LOUIS, March 1.—Hogs quiet and firm; common $6.30@6.70; fair to medium $7@7.15; good $7.25@7.50.

CINCINNATI, March 1. — Hogs firm; good Yorkers 5⅜@6¼c. Cattle firm; sales good natives at $5.50@5.80; fair do $5.15@5.50.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Cotton quiet at 16⅛@16⅜c; futures closed barely steady; sales of 20,500 bales; March 16 9-32@16 5-16c; April 16 17-32c; May 16 27-32@16 ⅞c; June 17⅛@17 5-32c; July 17 13-32@17 7-16c; August 17 17-32@17 9-16c; September 16⅞@16 15-16c; October 16⅜@16 11-16c.

NEW ORLEANS, March 1.—Cotton: demand good, but movements are checked by the stringent operations of factors; sales of 4,350 bales; bulk of business showing no quotable change; good ordinary to strict good ordinary 14⅜@14⅝c; low middling to strict low middling 15⅛@15⅜c; middling to strict middling 15⅝@16⅛c; good middling to middling fair 16⅝@17⅛c; receipts 5,255 bales; exports to the continent 23,100 bales; Great Britain 3,704 bales; stock 262,929 bales.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Business ruled very quiet, owing to the stormy weather. Cotton goods are steady and unchanged. Brown sheetings, denims and corset jeans are closely sold up to receipts. Prints are quiet and steady. Ginghams are in good demand and scarce. Dress goods move slowly. Steffan's spring shawls were opened to-day. Woolen goods for men's wear are quiet.

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RIVER NEWS.

State of the Rivers, Movements of Steamboats, &c.

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Pittsburgh, March 1, 1875.

Stations.	Above low water ft.	in.	Change —or+ ft.	in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather.
Cincinnati, O	11		+2		SW	Fair.
Fort Sully, D. T.					NW	Cloudy.
Keokuk, Iowa					N	Lt Snow.
LaCrosse, Wis					N	Cloudy.
Leavenworth, Ks					N	Cloudy.
Louisville	15		+2	2	S	Cloudy.
Memphis, Tenn	11	6	+2	5	SW	Fair.
Pittsburgh	8	9	—1	11	E	Foggy.
Shreveport, La	19	7		—2	W	Fair.
St. Louis, Mo	8	5		+9	N	Cloudy.
St. Paul, Minn					N	Cloudy.
Vicksburg, Miss	17			+2	SW	Cloudy.
Yankton, D. Ty.					NW	Cloudy.

GEORGE H. ROHE,
Sergeant, Signal Service, U. S. A.

THE stage of water last evening was 8 feet 9 inches and falling. There was a heavy snow storm early in the morning, which was succeded by rain, and as it appears to have been general, there will doubtless be more water within the next 24 hours.

THE Katie Kountz left New Orleans for the Mosouri direct, George D. Moore in command.

THE N. J. Bigley and Nellie Speer with empty barges, left Cincinnati on Saturday for this port.

THE Little Miami Railroad Wharfboat sunk at Cincinnati Sunday morning and floated off down the river. There was no freight on the wharfboat.

THERE was a gorge 15 miles in length in the Allegheny above Kittanning; it will likely break before long if the weather continues soft as it was yesterday.

THE Sam Clark with her tow passed the Steubenville bridge all right yesterday, but the Grand Lake was less fortunate, as she sunk one of her barges at that point.

No arrivals as yet, but there are several boats due within the next day or two. The Mollie Ebert passed Parkersburg on Sunday night, and should arrive here to-day. The Juniata and Skillinger are also en route.

ICE solid at Kansas City, and river low there and above. The Missouri ice broke at St. Charles at 12 o'clock Thursday night. The Illinois river had risen four feet at Beardstown on Thursday, but the ice was still firm.

THE Vicksburg *Herald* says: "The bid of Capt. Tobin, of the Frank Pargoud, for the purchase of the Katie will be accepted, provided a compromise can be effected with Mr. Pinckney Smith, a third owner of the boat, who has enjoined the sale. Capt. Tobin's bid was $40,000.

No additional departures of coal boats, but several boats with tows will get out within the next few days. It is said that there is not much coal ready to go, and, furthermore, that there is no special inducement to be in a hurry, as prices continue unsatisfactory in the down river markets.

THE following persons died at the United States Marine Hospital, Louisville, during the month of February: Charles Siedge (colored), rouster, from steamer Grey Eagle; Anthony Pierce (colored), rouster, steamer Tarascon; David McQueen, rouster, steamer Robin; John Jenkinson, rouster, steamer storm No. 3.

FRANK NORRIS, a well known river steward, formerly employed on the John Kyle, Phil. Sheridan, etc., left home in Illinois, east of Quincy, Sept. 8 last, to go to Baltimore on important business. Since that time his family has had no tidings of him, and no reason is known for his absence. He was a sober and upright man.

FREIGHTS from St. Louis to New Orleans by way of the Cairo Short Line Railway, thence by steamers, are 60 cents on flour and 30 cents per cwt. To Vicksburg and above 50 to 40 cents are the rates, and below $1 and 50 cents. By the Iron Mountain Road to Belmont, thence by barges, rates are: Flour, 50 cents; pork, 75 cents; whisky, $1.50; pound lots, 25 cents; hay, 35 cents. To way points, 20 cents per cwt.

THE McKeesport *Times* says: Captain G. W. Gray, of the steamer Fred Wilson, was presented with a mule by his friends at Louisville. The Captain thinks of bringing it home and presenting it to the borough, but whether to be used on the street or in the capacity of burgess has not transpired. Messrs. Neel and Oliver recently sold their coal in New Orleans for thirty cents per barrel, which is less than ten cents per bushel in Louisville.

MONDAY'S Cincinnati *Gazette* says: The Cherokee left for Pittsburgh Saturday with 700 tons freight, including the reshipping freight of the Exporter and Nick Longworth, and a fair quantity from this city. She will reload at Pittsburgh for New Orleans. Pilots: Nick Whitten and W. H. Hall....The N. J. Bigley left for Pittsburgh Saturday with empty barges....The Nellie Speer left for Pittsburgh Saturday with a tow of empty barges.

A MEMPHIS dispatch, under date of Saturday, says:—The Peytona and barges, fifty days out from Cincinnati, with three barges and two thousand tons, passed south at sunset. An advance in the price of cotton of more than three cents per pound during the last six weeks has caused an increase of value in the stock on hand here of more than one million dollars. As a consequence, a buoyant feeling pervades the mercantile and planting community. One-tenth of the capital prize in the Kentucky Lottery drawn to-day is held by a club of persons here.

A ST. LOUIS dispatch under date of 27th says:—Doc. Terry, of the Nellie Peck, arrived here to-day from New York, where he has been spending the winter. He goes down to Cairo on Monday to bring up the boat and load her for Fort Benton. A telegram from Washington to the Doctor says the final award of the contract for carrying the Government freights on the Upper Missouri will be made on Monday. The crews of several boats lying at Cairo left for below to bring them up to-day. Rates to New Orleans are 40c a barrel for flour and 20c a hundred for pound freight. Business opened brisk. No decision has yet been rendered in the Keokuk Northern Line case.

(For Latest River Dispatches see Fourth Page.)

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD—35 half bbls fish Curry & M; 125 pkgs do Knox & O; 223 do Watt L & co; sixteen springs Moore D D & co; fifteen sks glue scrap B Pflaum; 20 cases a grease owner; 5 bxs g ware Cunningham & I; fifteen palls paint Wm Coulter; 8 half bbls butter Wilbert & W; eleven casks p ash Voigt M & co; 2 cases mdse F H Eaton & Co; 73 bxs and bbls fish T McCoy; 43 bxs fish D W Garrett; 100 bbls lime W J Baughman; 2 bbls oil Caskey & S; 2 bxs soap Reed & co; 40 kegs p barley Houck Mec & co; 24 bars iron Onions & B; 1 pkg cigars T F Perkins; 3 cases do Schomaker & co; 2 do J M Sichall & co; one cask ware B A Elliott; one P Blume; lot s iron James O'Grady; 4 bbls sunds J Cochran.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—10 bbls spirits Miller F & co; 10 do Thos R Kerr; 10 do Milligan H & Co; 16 copying paper Fairbanks M & Co; 10 bbls spirits S McCrickert & co; 40 boxes soap Knox & O; 25 pks tobacco Pretzfield Bro; 10 bbls sizing Lockhart & Frew; 120 bars iron Glass N & co; 10 bbls alcohol Kennedy & co; 5 bags f seed Watt Lang & Co; 4 bxs poultry Voigt M & Co; 1 car s iron Taylor Mitchell & Co; 1 car machinery Shoenberger B & co; 1 do flour L L Peabody & Co; 1 do spelter C G Hussey & Co; 1 do Moorhead & C; 8 cases mdse Davis C & Co; 1 car flour Wm Hasiage & co; 1 do beans R Dickey & co; 1 do flour F W Jenkins & Bro; 1 do bran W G Miller & C; 3 do J M Peet; 7 cars flour T C Jenkins; 2 do wheat Whitmyer J & Co; 2 do Marshall K & co; 1 do scrap steel Park Bros & co; 1 do s iron Maloney & L; 2 do sunds Knox K & co; 1 do flour F H Seghmyer; 1 do malt Gangwich & S; 1 do flour D Wallace; 1 do do Houck Mec & co; 1 do lumber Anderson & G; 1 do Slack & S; 4 do McKennon & C; 6 do lime stone Lucy Furnace; 1 do feed Keil & R, 4 tubs butter Head C & co; 4 bbls d apples P Duff & Son; 28 sks mdse B Pflaum; 12 bxs butter Braden & P; 120 bxs h ware England & B; 14 tubs butter Wilbert & W; 10 tubs do J H Loh & co; 50 cases tobacco T C Jenkin; 1 s furnace E Edmond & Son; 5 bbl wine F Evart; 4 bbls apples Voigt M & co; lot w pumps Raswick & co; 26 bxs g ware J L Dunn & Son; 50 bbls flour J Porterfield & co; 11 bbls apples H J Mccracken & co; 50 bdls shovels Myers & A; 12 c stoves McKee & co; 50 bbls flour L J Blanchard; 6 kegs a butter A Bahmer & Son; 40 sks flour Means & S; 33 bdls hides Wm Flaccus & Son; 1 organ C Miller; 3 cars iron Zug & co; 1 car iron Wilson W & Co; 3 do C H Carpenter; 5 do Pgh Bolt co; 4 do Kloman & C Bros.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.—15 g hides 1 c skin Wm Flaccus & Son; 40 bbls flour J Porterfield; 15 tubs butter J H Loh & co; 3 bbls tallow M W Rankin & Bro; 12 bbls g apples Vangorder & S; 5 tubs butter 5 bbls d apples J H Loh & co; 8 bbls apples 2 do d peaches M W Rankin & Bro; 12 tubs butter 8 bbls eggs H Riddle Son & co; 27 sks oats P Duff & Son; 12 bbls g apples Voigt M & co; 10 kegs butter 27 tubs do Head C & co; 21 bbls p bags Curry & M; 2 cars b corn Vangorder & S; 26 ¼ buts tobacco Johnson & C; 15 trcs stearine 15 kgs do 50 bbls do W B Hays & Son; 100 ½ cads tobacco R & W Jenkinson; 30 pks tobacco E Poertsel; 10 ⅛ buts do J Fullerton & Son; 40 pks do J M Sichel; 16 bales cotton S Bradley; 1 car hay H J Mccracken & Bro; 10 tons w scrap W Mullins; 10 sks wheat 11 do rye McHenry & H; 4 rolls leather W Junker; 40 sks rye W J Meek; 50 do oats P Duff & Son; 1 car staves A Dipp; 40 cads tobacco T J Wallace; 56 pkgs p bags Hill West & co; 10 bbls e oil J E Schmertz; 25 bbls flour J Porterfield & Co; 280 sks oats Roberts & S; 60 bales cotton Kennedy C & co; 5 bxs b bacon 5 trcs do J L Dunseath & co; 20 bales cotton Anchor cotton Mills; 25 bbls oil Rea H & K; 100 do flour C H Lewis & co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.—51 cars coal N Y & C G Co; 5 do lime stone Isabella Furnace co; 19 do coal Armstrong D & co; 1 do G W Glass; 2 cars lumber J L Ferron & co; 2 do Union Planing Mill co; 2 do J L Shaffer; 1 do South Side Planing Mill co; 1 do J Blee; 1 do lumber Anderson & T; 1 do hay Hitchcock Mec & co; 1 do Scott & G; 1 do Keil & R; 1 do Laing & McK; 1 do ice J J Lawrence; 1 do l stone Isabella Furnace co; 1 do l oil Loomis & c; 2 do clay Erskine & co; 1 do wooden ware P Duff & Son; 1 do tank iron J Hartupee; 68 bdls chairs Close S & co; 8 bales paper A C Bakewell; 11 bbls beans Voigt M & co; 2 boards Marshall Bros; 1 car lime W J Baughman; 1 box bacon Rea Hill & Kerr; 6 sks turnips J Seibert; lot h h goods E Crawford; 1 box mdse E L Stone; 1 do 4 bbls flour W P Cook; 1 box h ware Mrs J Sarthen; 2 em trcs J L Dunseath & co; 2 em barrels Young & Booth; 2 ale barrels J Rhodes.

ALLEGHENY STATION—3 cars staves Central Ref co; 1 do E C Rhodes; 1 do J M Hemphill; 35 bbls liquor J H Hespenheide; 59 sks oats G McFerron; 10 trcs shoulders W H Zollar; 8 pkgs cheese I Oseech; 5 bbls liquor A Filman; 5 do F Kochendofer, 1 car lime Holmes & co; 1 car cooperage W League; one case butter J W Irwin; 24 bdls hides G Wettach & Son; 18 sks 2 bbls flour Beckfield & N; 18 bbls apples F Owens; 6 do J Herbert.

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CITY TIME.

MAIN LINE EASTWARD.

PACIFIC EXPRESS daily, except Monday, 2:51 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 12:05 p. m., Philadelphia 4:15 p. m.; New York 7:35 p. m.
DAY EXPRESS daily, at 7:56 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:45 p.m., Philadelphia 7:30 p. m., New York 10:30 p. m., Baltimore 7:30 p. m., Washington 9:10 p. m.
MAIL TRAIN daily, except Sunday, 8:11 a.m., arriving at Harrisburg 8:40 p. m.
ATLANTIC EXPRESS daily, at 12:51 p.m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:05 p.m., Philadelphia 3:10 a. m., New York 6:50 a. m., Baltimore 3:2 a. m., Washington 6:20 a. m.
PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily except Sunday, 4:21 p.m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:25 a.m., Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 10:10 a. m.
FAST LINE daily, at 7:51 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 4:13 a. m., Philadelphia 8:05 a. m., New York 11:15 a. m., Baltimore 7:45 a. m., Washington 9:07 a. m.
WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:51, 10:21, 11:46 a. m., 2:41, 5:41, 6:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 12:51 p. m.
BRINTON ACCOMMODATION 6:06, a. m., 5:01 and 9:21 p. m. Sunday 9:21 p. m.
WILKINSBURG ACCOM. 7:16 p. m.
JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION 3:31 p. m.

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.

Trains arrive at Union Depot, as follows, city time:

Mail Train daily, except Monday	1:21 a. m.
Fast Line daily except Monday	1:41 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily except Monday	6:56 a. m.
Cincinnati Express daily	7:41 a. m.
Pacific Express daily	1:41 p. m.
Way Passenger daily	8:21 p. m.

Wall's Accommodation 6:36, 9:01 a. m., 1:21, 2:41, 5:46 and 7:51 p. m. Sunday 10:01 a. m.
Brinton Accommodation 7:31, 8:21 a. m. and 7:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 7:11 p. m.
Wilkinsburg Accommodation 9:21 p. m.
Johnstown Accommodation 9:41 a. m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION.

From Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, time.
MAIL TRAIN, connecting for Butler 6:36 a.
EXPRESS, connecting for Butler........2:11 p. m.
FREEPORT ACCOM.. 9:16 a. m. and 4:46 p. m.
On Sunday, 12:51 p. m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM., 11:21 a. m., 6:11, 8:41 and 11:16 p. m.
MARKET TRAIN FOR BUTLER, 3:21 p. m.
Trains arrive at Federal street Depot, city time:
Express, connecting from Butler..........10:21 a. m.
Mail Train, connecting from Butler..........5:46 p. m.
Freeport Accommodation 8:16 a. m. and 1:41 p. m.
On Sunday 9:51 a. m.
Springdale Accom., 6:51 a. m., 3:43, 7:11 and 11:16 p. m.
Market Train from Butler 9:11 a. m.
The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the ticket offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue, and the Union Depot.
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ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—On and after MONDAY, Nov. 23d, 1874, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Hulton Ac.	6:40am	Hulton Ac.	6:30am
Buffalo Ex.	7:25am	Night Express	7:00am
Kittanning Ac.	11:30am	Soda Works Ac	8:10am
Hulton Ac	2:00pm	Kittanning Ac.	10:00am
Titusville Ex.	2:40pm	Hulton Ac.	1:30pm
Kittanning Ac.	4:30pm	Titusville Ex.	3:25pm
Soda Works Ac	5:55pm	Kittanning Ac.	5:40pm
Night Ex.	8:25pm	Pitts. Express.	9:25pm
Hulton Ac	11:00pm	Hulton Ac.	7:20pm

Buffalo and Night Express trains make direct connections for Buffalo.
Trains daily except Sunday.
Church Train leaves Soda Works at 8:35 a. m., arriving at Pittsburgh at 10:10 a. m.; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., arriving at Soda Works at 2:23 p. m., stopping at all stations.
Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars on Night Express between Pittsburgh and Titusville.
Buffalo Express connects at Red Bank for Brookville, Driftwood, Williamsport and all points on the P. & E. R. R.
Buffalo Express north connects at Red Bank with train on Sligo Branch, and at Sligo with stage for Clarion and points in Clarion county.
Titusville Express North and Pittsburgh Express South connect at Red Bank with train on Sligo Branch for Sligo.
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J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Superintendent.
THOS. M. KING, Assistant Superintendent.

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LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13am	Atlantic Ex.	2:33am
Chicago Mail	6:13am	Wheeling Ex.	10:53am
Cl. & Wh'gMail	6:53am	Chicago Ex.	12:28pm
Erie&Asht.Ex.	7:53am	Erie&Ash.Ex.	2:43pm
Chicago Ex.	9:53am	Chicago Mail	3:43pm
Cl. & Wh'gEx.	1:53pm	Cleveland Ex.	5:53pm
Pacific Ex.	2:13pm	Cl. & St. L. Ex.	7:13pm
Bellaire Ex.	4:28pm	Cl. & Wh'gEx.	7:33pm
Erie & WarEx.	4:38pm	Erie & Ash.Ex.	11:28pm
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	8:38am	Leetsdale Ac.	6:53am
Leetsdale Ac.	10:28am	Leetsdale Ac.	7:43am
Leetsdale Ac.	12:08pm	Beaver FallsAc.	8:13am
Sharps. & As. Ac	1:13pm	Sharps.&As. Ac.	9:53am
Econ Accom.	3:48pm	Econ Accom.	10:53am
Leetsdale Ac.	5:13pm	Leetsdale Ac.	12:53pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:23pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:13pm
Leetsdale Ac.	8:28pm	Leetsdale Ac.	4:28pm
Leetsdale Ac.	10:58pm	Leetsdale Ac.	7:43pm
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	12:43pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:53am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Atlantic Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.
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PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD, (Pittsburgh, Washington & Baltimore "Short Line.")—On and after SUNDAY, February 14th, 1875, trains on this road will depart and arrive from Depot, corner of Grant and Water Sts., as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail	7:25am	McKeesport Ac.	6:45am
McKeesport Ac	10:15am	McKeesport Ac.	7:40am
McKeesport Ac	3:15pm	W. Newton Ac.	8:25am
Uniontown Ex.	3:45pm	Through Ex.	10:35am
McKeesport Ac	4:20pm	Uniontown Ex.	12:00m
W. Newton Ac	5:20pm	McKeesport Ac	2:00pm
McKeesport Ac	6:20pm	McKeesport Ac	5:55pm
Through Ex.	8:00pm	McKeesport Ac.	7:35pm
McKeesport Ac	11:15pm	Through Mail	8:25pm
M'Keesp'tChT	12:45pm	McKeesp'tChT	10:05am

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On and after MONDAY, Oct. 12, 1874, and until further notice, Trains will leave and arrive at Depot, 326 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail	6:10am	Homestead Ac.	7:00am
MonongahelaAc	11:15am	Through Mail	8:30am
Fast Line	3:55pm	Fast Line	10:40am
Homestead Ac.	6:15pm	Pittsburgh Ac.	6:05pm

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:02 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 3:05 p. m.
The Express leaves Pittsburgh at 5:15 p. m. on Saturday.
Packets to and from Brownsville make close connection with fast trains to and from Pittsburgh, as follows: Leave Brownsville daily (except Sunday) at 5:00 a. m., connecting with Express, reaching Pittsburgh at 10:40 a. m. Returning, Monongahela Accommodation leaving Pittsburgh at 11:15 a. m. connects with Packet, reaching Brownsville at 5:30 p. m.
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PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY. (Pan Handle Route.)
On and after SUNDAY, December 27, 1874, Trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:03am	McDonald's Ac	7:13am
Columbus Mail.	7:13am	WashingtonAc.	8:23am
WashingtonAc.	8:53am	SteubenvilleAc.	9:38am
Pacific Express.	8:03am	Cincinnati Ex.	7:38am
McDonald's Ac	12:14pm	McDonald's Ac	5:43pm
Pittsburgh Ex.	2:13pm	WashingtonAc.	3:13pm
SteubenvilleAc.	3:28pm	Columbus Mail.	12:33pm
WashingtonAc.	4:58pm	Fast Line	7:28pm
Mansfield Ac.	6:13pm	Southern Ex.	2:33am
McDonald's Ac	10:58pm	Mansfield Ac.	7:40pm
Sunday Church.	12:48pm	Sunday Church.	10:03am

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HOME NEWS.

Opening of the March Term of the Criminal Court.

The March Term of the Criminal Court was opened yesterday morning, Judge Ewing on the bench. John D. Bailey was appointed foreman of the Grand Jury, and, after being qualified, the charge of the Court was delivered. No reference was made to the Italian troubles at Buena Vista by the Court. At the conclusion of the charge the trial list was taken up.

Obituary.

We regret to be called upon to record the death of Mr. John Martin, an old and estimable resident of Fawn township, Allegheny county, which occurred February 16. The deceased was in the 82d year of his age. He was a native of Scotland and came to this country when quite a young man, settling in Pittsburgh in 1829. In the year 1834 he removed to Fawn township and took possession of the farm where he resided when his demise occurred.

He was a consistent and highly esteemed member of the United Presbyterian church and was held in genuine respect wherever he was known. A large number of friends mourn his decease.

A New Signal Arrangement.

Chief Crow, of Allegheny, has purchased at his own expense a pair of small gongs, one of which he intends placing in his office in the city building, and the other at the Friendship Engine House. These gongs will be connected by a separate wire running from the Central alarm office. This he will use for his own private signals, as his residence is near the Friendship Engine House, and he also keeps his horse and buckwagon at the engine house. Frequently he has occasion to send for a fireman to do some work, or send for his buckwagon, or some times he is wanted at the engine house. By this arrangement he can attend to all such matters direct from his office, and thereby save considerable time.

Jurors Drawn.

Sheriff Hare drew the following names of jurors to serve in the Common Pleas Court No. 2, beginning the third Monday of the present month: George W. Gillespie, constable; Bernard Krugh, painter; Fred Finsthwart, clerk; H. Kahn, tailor; M. Whitmore, merchant; Wm. Tann, bottler; Chas. M. Dravo, clerk; John Ploss, Sr., laborer; David L. Lloyd, plasterer; Henry R. Chalfant, farmer; John Weitrich, gent.; George Vought, carpenter; John Kelly, laborer; J. C. Nickel, artist; L. R. Lindsey, gent.; W. J. Reed, clergyman; Fred Rosemyers, laborer; Henry Weaver, roller; James Morgan, ——; James Shaw, Jr., miller; Peter Strickle, flint glass blower; Mason Jackson, clerk; Joseph Hoffman, carpenter; John H. Scott, gent.; R. H. Deakers, merchant; R. H. Harrison, merchant; John Rimethaler, stock dealer; George F. Quaill, farmer; John C. Brycon, farmer; James Vernon, carpenter; Charles Kane, nutmaker; Thomas J. Barbour, merchant; R. A. Nesbit, nailor; Henry Morrow, farmer; Isadore Drier, laborer; Henry Mendel, Sr., carpenter; William Rankin, farmer; John W. Karnes, clerk; Francis Torence, gent.; Samuel Long, merchant; John T. O'Brien, liquor dealer; William J. Scully, banker; Patrick Wall, tinsmith; Thomas Breen, plasterer; James McCollum, miner; Wm. Foley, clerk; John Craig, grocer; Charles North, carpenter; August Steinmeyer, merchant; George Rosoly, merchant; W. C. Lees, constable; Jas. Carter, farmer; Wm. Hawdon, machinist; Hamilton Yoder, clerk; Wm. Hood, Jr., laborer; Louis Hauch, druggist; T. J. Lowden, steward; S. Honstein, confectioner; Chas. Zillhart, tailor; A. J. Nellis, manufacturer.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

The Election for Officers and Directors To-Day.

Yesterday afternoon the Chamber of Commerce held a meeting, at which the Nominating Committee presented a report. They nominated the gentlemen who have heretofore served as Directors, with the addition to the list of the following: Messrs. Daniel Wallace, James A. Hutchison, C. A. Carpenter, B. H. Rabe, General J. K. Moorehead, Jos. Walton.

The election will be held to-day, and the Directors chosen will serve for the ensuing year.

AN EMPTY TREASURY.

No Funds to Meet February Warrants.

Notwithstanding the passage of the appropriation ordinance, which however only levies and does not collect taxes, there is no money in the Municipal Treasury with which to pay February debts. All the officers can do is to issue warrants, acknowledgements of indebtedness, and let the holders then get them shaved at whatever place is deemed best. They cannot be paid until about the middle of next August, when taxes for this year commence to come in. This course, it deems, will have to be pursued not only as regards last month but ensuing months, and until the receipts are sufficient to meet the demands.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

The Printing Contract.

Last evening the Printing Committee of Allegheny Councils held a meeting and opened the bids for furnishing blanks, to the city officers' stationery and printing the ordinances. The bids were: Ogden & Vance, $1,292.64, and Stevenson & Foster, $1,392.42.

The contract was accordingly let to the first named firm, and the committee adjourned.

SURVEY COMMITTEE.

The Survey Committee of Allegheny Councils held a meeting last night, and decided to report an ordinance to Councils for the opening of Pasture lane, and appointed Messrs. Jno. K. Brown, Wm. McGinniss, Jr., and George Hutchison viewers to assess damages.

POLICE COMMITTEE.

The Police Committee of Allegheny Councils last night approved bills to the amount of $3,575.08.

They also endorsed the appointment of George Phillipi as a Patrolman.

COUNTY TEMPERANCE ALLIANCE.

Regular Weekly Meeting.

The Allegheny County Temperance Alliance met at their rooms on the corner of Penn avenue and Sixth street, yesterday, President Rabe in the chair.

Reports were made of the Sabbath afternoon meetings which were very encouraging.

The Secretary read a call for a Prohibition State Convention at Harrisburg, on the 4th instant, and further stated that he had tickets for those who desired to attend, at reduced rates.

The question of the repeal of the local option law was fully discussed by a number who were present.

The following delegates were appointed to attend the Convention at Philadelphia to-morrow: From Allegheny, Mrs. Black, Mrs. Dr. Campbell and Miss Renwick. From Pittsburgh, Mrs. Gormley, Mrs. Jope and Mrs. Tuttell. Alternates: Allegheny, Mrs. Matchett and Mrs. Dr. Starr. Pittsburgh, Mr. Finley and Mrs. Foster. The above named ladies will act as delegates to Harrisburg also.

After discussing some matters of minor importance the Alliance adjourned.

MEETING OF DRUGGISTS.

Resolutions Adopted.

There is a bill now pending before the Legislature regulating the manufacture and sale of patent medicines, which requires that the component parts of the medicines and quantities be printed and pasted on the outside of each bottle. A meeting of druggists and proprietors of patent medicines was held at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, when the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, Our attention has been called to an act pending in the Legislature entitled, "An act regulating the manufacture and sale of patent medicines in this State," which we regard as an outrage upon a business that has long been recognized as legitimate and beneficial, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the druggists of Allegheny county, that we condemn in unmeasured terms the proposed act as being uncalled for, unjust and oppressive in its measures, and a reflection upon the integrity of every druggist in the State.

Resolved, That speaking from personal experience, we affirm that what in the proposed act are termed patent medicines, nostrums, &c., have been of acknowledged benefit to thousands in sickness and distress, and further, that the passage of said act would destroy the business interests of a large class of respectable, intelligent and law-abiding citizens of this Commonwealth, and compel them to seek refuge in some other State, whose laws would, in that case, be more liberal and legislation more just.

PROPERTY VALUATIONS.

Yesterday's Assessment Appeals.

At the meeting of the Board of Revision yesterday the following appeals from the Seventh, Nineteenth, Twentieth and Twenty-first wards were disposed of: Timothy O'Leary, two story frame house; from $810 to 500. Robert Whiteman, forty-four acres; from $79,200 to $61,600. John Barton, frame stable, and ice house, from $2,700 to $1,500; piano, from $500 to $300; horse, from $400 to $320; carriage from $400 to $300; extra furniture, from $2,500 to $1,200. Bernard Lapper, stable, from $473 to $50; two story frame house, from $1,800 to $1,000. St. Joseph's orphan asylum, dismissed. Geo. Finley, dismissed. Peter Sprague, two story brick, from $4,500 to $4,000; five acres, dismissed. Henry Sprague, five acres, from $3,600 to $2,500. John G. Young, two-story frame store, from $1,800 to $500; two-story frame house, from $2,520 to $2,000. Ann McClelland, dismissed. George S. Schwartz, Jr., lot 40x122, from $2,880 to $1,170. J. M. Gazzam, lot 45x227, dismissed. Barbara Houck's heirs, land, from $5,400 to $7,500; frame stable, from $450 to $160. Franklin Ferree, 63¼ acres; from $22,500 to $20,250; two-story brick, from $1,620 to $1,000. A. and J. Sultzner, lots 25x105, from $1,080 to $525; lot 25x105, from $945 to $500. Alex. King, dismissed. James Anderson's heirs, dismissed. Thomas Mellon, three lots 130x350, from $11,025 to $6,600. All land between Franklin avenue, King street and Larimer avenue was fixed at $7,500 per acre, to conform with the rest.

INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS.

The Meeting of Citizens Last Night in City Hall—Addresses by Jno. F. Dravo, Arthur Kirk and Others—The Resolutions Adopted.

The meeting of citizens held last night in old City Hall, for the purpose of expressing their sentiments in favor of the improvement of the Ohio river and the guaranteeing by the Government of the interest on the bonds of the Northern and Southern Pacific railroads, was not a large one, probably owing to the extremely unfavorable weather. The meeting was organized by electing Captain M. Martin chairman, Captain Kountz, C. Howard and Thomas P. Roberts, Vice Presidents, and Dr. J. C. Kennedy and the reporters of the press Secretaries. The President stated the object of the meeting, after which Messrs. John Megraw, Captain Kountz, C. Howard, Robert Finan, Thomas Roberts and Hon. F. R. Brunot were appointed to prepare and submit a series of resolutions. During the absence of the committee Mr. John F. Dravo entertained the assemblage by talking concerning the necessity of improving the Ohio, a subject with which, as all our readers know, he is perfectly familiar. He referred to the enormous deposits of coal and iron in this section of the State, and showed what an incentive the improvement of the Ohio would be toward increasing the production and manufacture of these minerals. He said there are two systems of improvement, the partial and the thorough. The process of dredging and removing various obstructions from the Ohio or any other river was the first. This could be done at little expense, but the advantages to be derived from it are not great. This system would not answer for the Ohio. The wants of the great traffic of the river could not be supplied. Some more thorough and efficient method must be adopted. To meet these wants two systems of radical improvement are suggested. The first is by means of vast reservoirs from which floods of water can be let out at stated times to carry through the tows. Such a method is improbable and must prove exceedingly expensive. The method of dams and shutes is also suggested; but to this too, there are serious objections. The river is too large and her traffic is too great for such a plan. It might work on the Monongahela but would never answer for the Ohio. The system of locks and adjustable gateways is the most practicable. This is no new method. It has proved to work well wherever it has been tried. During the season of high water the tows could be carried through as usual, and when the water was low the adjustable gate could be lifted, and the waters swollen sufficiently to bear through all the traffic. The speaker then said it was the duty of the Government to take charge of the improvement. It had asserted its sovereignty over all water courses, and was therefore bound for their improvement. He next referred to the advantages that would accrue to Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania from the improvement of the river. Cincinnati and other cities great in trade, enjoy superior railroad advantages, and if Pittsburgh wants to compete with them the Ohio river must be improved.

At the conclusion of the address of Mr. Dravo, Hon. F. R. Brunot, from the Committee on Resolutions, presented the following which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Ohio river, washing the shores of the six great States, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia, Kentucky, Indiana, and Illinois, and by its branches and connections reaching with steam navigation the States of New York, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Nebraska, and the Territories of Dakota and Montana, and constituting a thousand mile link in the chain of inland navigation which binds them together, is eminently National in its character and importance, and that it has not hitherto received from Congress the consideration justly due to the vast interests which it involves.

Resolved, That this meeting heartily approves of the general plan for the radical improvement of the navigation of the Ohio river, by a system of locks with moveable dams, which shall leave an unobstructed channel in high water, and a good slackwater navigation during the season when navigation would otherwise be suspended, which system has been recommended by the United States Engineers in charge, and approved by General Humphreys, Chief Engineer of the Department; and that we respectfully and earnestly urge upon Congress the appropriation of three millions of dollars for the prosecution of the work of improvement between Pittsburgh and Wheeling as recommended by the Engineers.

Resolved, That the action of the Congress of the United States in appropriating portions of the public lands for the construction of three great trans-continental lines of railroad, with a view to render the public domain accessible and useful to the people, to develop and utilize its vast deposits of the precious metals, and so bind the old States of the Atlantic and the new States of the Pacific together in bonds of a more perfect union, was eminently wise and proper; that the benefits already accrued to the nation from the completion of the central line proves this, and that the untoward events which have compelled the suspension of work on the great Northern and Southern lines, instead of justifying their abandonment call for prompt and efficient Congressional action to insure their early completion.

Resolved, That whilst our great manufacturing, commercial and agricultural industries are languishing, and lack of employment is bringing distress upon the labor of the country, it is the least of all others the time when the Congress of the United States should add to the burden of distrust and distress by supineness and timidity, and we believe that such a liberal appropriation of the public funds for the improvement of the great rivers and harbors of the country, as would anticipate the annual dole of the next few years, and such a judicious and safe extension of credit to the suspended Pacific Railroads as would secure their completion—are measures which would go far to restore public confidence, and start the industries of the country on the road to prosperity.

Resolved, That the officers of this meeting are hereby instructed to transmit to the United States Senators from Pennsylvania and the members from the Twenty-first and Twenty-second districts, copies of the action of this meeting, with the request that they present them to Congress.

The next speaker was Mr. Arthur Kirk, who argued the necessity of action on the part of citizens of Pittsburgh, who are most deeply interested, if it is desired that the Government should lend a hand in improving the Ohio. Mr. Kirk was followed by Commodore Kountz upon the importance of National aid in the guaranteeing of interest on the bonds of the Pacific railways.

Captain Martin offered a series of resolutions, requesting the general Government to assist the starving people of Kansas and Nebraska. They were adopted, and the meeting adjourned with the understanding that the President is to appoint a committee of twenty-five for the purpose of keeping the matter of the improvement of the Ohio before the public.

CONTROLLER'S REPORT.

February Financial Statement.

The following is the report of Controller Snodgrass showing the receipts and expenditures in behalf of the city during the month of February:

RECEIPTS.

Diamond Market	$ 10 65
South Side Market	500 25
Street Engineering	1,233 29
City Weigh Scales	187 07
Interest—Bank Balances	831 65
Building Inspection	406 50
City Gauging	141 15
Weighing Coal—Private Scales	94 60
City Tax, 1874	600 00
Fire Tax, 1874	100 00
Old City Special Tax, 1874	50 00
Business Tax, 1874	4,000 00
Water Rents, 1874	2,500 00
Streets, Grading and Paving	2,872 72
Vehicle Licenses	1,551 00
Water Works	104 00
Mayor's Office, Hon. J. Blackmore	1,433 85
Water Rents, New Buildings	82 15
Water Works Impr't and Sinking Fund Tax	150 00
Street and Sewer Impr't Fund, under 50 per cent. Ord.	13,531 01
Streets, Improvement under Penn Avenue Act	1,761 88
	$32,145 17

EXPENDITURES.

Interest	1,772 72
Fire Department	5,245 51
Water Extension	14,718 53
Street and Sewer Improvements	1,000 00
Lawrenceville Sinking Fund	3,500 00
Street and Sewer Impr't under 50 per cent. Ord.	14 458 43
Municipal Sinking Fund	298 45
	$40,993 64
Balance in Treasury, Feb. 1, 1875	195,289 67
Receipts for Feb. 1875	32,145 17
Total	$227,434 84
Disbursements in Feb. 1875	40,993 64
Balance in Treasury	$186,441 20
Deposited in City Depositories	186,441 20

AN IMPORTANT SALE of DRY GOODS.

We have just opened a lot of Black Silks at prices from $1.25 to $2.75, and consider them to be the best value yet offered.

Yard Wide Chintzes at 12½c.
Black Cashmeres.
Black Alpacas.
Black Mohairs.
Muslins.
Cassimeres.
Flannels, &c.

For the next thirty days we offer some decided bargains in the above goods in order to reduce stock.

We invite an examination.

MOORHOUSE & CARSTEN,
Cor. Fourth Ave. and Market St.

Money to Loan.

I am prepared to loan money on the new *A. V. R. R. bonds* as collateral:
$20,000 to loan on mortgages.
For sale, 50 shares Lawrence R. R. stock.
GEO. B. HILL, No. 75 Fourth avenue.

Office Desks.

We make a specialty of Office Desks, and have now in store an elegant stock to select from.

J. L. LYTLE & Co.,
169 Smithfield street.

Erickson, The Tailor,

has a new stock bought for cash; cheap rent, does his own cutting, and can make a cheaper suit than any first-class tailor in the city.

No. 24 Smithfield street.

THE PUDDLER'S MASS MEETING.

A Very Large Gathering Yesterday Afternoon—Old City Hall Packed Full—Union and non Union Men Fraternize—The Resolutions Adopted—Speakers and Officers.

The mass meeting of puddlers yesterday afternoon in City Hall was the largest assemblage of the kind that has been held here since the commencement of the troubles between the iron workers and the manufacturers. Several thousand puddlers were present and the sentiments expressed by the speakers were received with stentorian applause. It must not be understood that the meeting was composed exclusively of men belonging to the Union, but on the contrary a very large portion of the number present were non Union men, and the latter, we have been informed, were as determined to hold out for $5.50 per ton as those who are members of the Union. The meeting was organized by calling Mr. George Dean, a non Union man, to the chair, and electing Mr. E. C. Corbly Secretary. The first business was the appointment of a committee to prepare and submit resolutions. The following gentlemen, three of whom are non-Union men, were named as the committee: Messrs Elisha McAnich, R. H. Jones, John Morris, John Johnson and Daniel Barkley. The committee retired, and during its absence impromptu addresses in German and English were made by Messrs. Dean, Harris, Bishop, Balsley and Betz. After an absence of about half or three quarters of an hour, the committee returned and submitted the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The iron manufacturers of Pittsburgh and vicinity, did on or about the 7th day of December, 1874, demand a reduction of one dollar per ton on the wages formerly paid for boiling, $600 per ton, and

WHEREAS, The committee representing the Boilers Union, did, through and by instruction of the District meeting, refuse the unjustifiable and unreasonable demand; and said committee did offer and propose and accept a reduction of fifty cents per ton on a 2¼ cents card, providing the old scale of prices was renewed, thereby manifesting a disposition to meet the manufacturers in a becoming spirit, as called for in our former memorandum of agreement, or scale of prices, and

WHEREAS, The manufacturers, failing to exhibit a like spirit of conciliation, and refused the compromise offered by us, and closed their works, thus causing a general depression of business through the community, and,

WHEREAS, The public press and the manufacturers declare that the Boilers Union through its officers are alone responsible for the present state of affairs, and that the great mass of the trade are willing and anxious to resume work at the reduced rates, therefore be it

Resolved, By the Boilers and Helpers of Pittsburgh and vicinity, in mass meeting assembled, that we are uncompromising in our determination to maintain the proposition submitted by the Committee of Boilers during the late conference, viz: $5,50,2¼ cents card, with the scale of prices.

Resolved, That we unqualifiedly denounce as untrue the statement of the city papers and the manufacturers that the majority of our trade are willing to return to work at the reduction, but are prevented or debarred from so doing by a certain so-called Ring.

Resolved, That the trade in this district are united in their determination to resist the unreasonable demands of the manufacturers without regard to the claims of any society or organization.

Resolved, That we, the non-Union men, so called by our employers, emphatically declare that we fully endorse the position taken by the members of the Boilers' Union

Resolved, Knowing that our interests are identical we publicly announce to whom it may concern, that we are determined to stand by our fellow workmen in resisting any oppression that has or may be brought against us.

After the reading and adoption of the resolutions a motion was made and carried that they be published in the GAZETTE and *Leader*.

A vote of thanks was extended to the Market Committee for the use of City Hall and the meeting adjourned.

After adjournment the puddlers formed a procession, and headed by a martial band from Manchester, they marched up Fifth avenue, making quite an imposing appearance.

In conversation with a member of the boilers fraternity, whom our reporter met on Fifth avenue, he said if there was an impression abroad that they were disposed to end the lock-out and accept the terms of the manufacturers, that it was a great mistake as they are as strong now in their determination to hold out as they ever were. He also complained that some of the city papers were guilty of great injustice to them in misrepresenting them. Said he, "You newspaper men understand your business and we claim to be thoroughly acquainted with our own, and to know what is best for our interests. Suppose I was to enter your office and direct how such an article should be written would you not think me impertinent, and consider that I was mixing in something about which I was ignorant? Of course you would, and that is just the way we feel about the gratuitous advice that is being given us so liberally by the press—advice which I am inclined to think is evoked by the money of manufacturers. We puddlers have no money to pay for editorials, and all we ask is that our meetings shall be fairly reported, and advice given when it is asked for."

Reporter—It is said that a lot of colored puddlers from Virginia are to be brought here and put to work in one of the mills. Will there be any interference with them on your part?

Puddler—None whatever. The manufacturers can bring their boilers from wherever they please, and I don't think any of us will attempt to stop them from laboring. Some of the newspaper men can tackle a furnace if they are inclined, and no opposition to them will be offered. It might also give them a little practical experience which would prove useful in the formation and expression of editorial opinions.

ADDITIONAL INDICTMENTS.

Further Evidence and Particulars About the Battle at Buena Vista.

The Westmoreland county Grand Jury has made an additional presentment in regard to the Italian troubles at Buena Vista. It sets forth that after a careful examination of all the evidence brought to their knowledge in the matter of the disturbances at Armstrong's coal mines, between Italian and other miners, they find that a series of firing was kept up from Oct. 25 to Nov. 29th, 1874, and that on the latter date a large body of men assembled on the hill, back of Armstrong's coal works, and opened a heavy fire on the Italians with rifles, muskets and pistols, which resulted in the death of Ambrozio Tuacci, Guisseppi Rainondi and Panerazio La Vecchi; that from the evidence John N. Watson, Ford Thompson, —— Boon, said to be James Boon, Larimer Douglass and Michele Pecci were present and taking part in the firing; that Watson had a Spencer rifle and Thompson a squirrel rifle; that the evidence discloses that said parties are guilty as principals to the murder of the persons named. The presentment concluded by asking that indictments be prepared against said Watson, Thompson and the rest. In compliance with the request the Court ordered indictments to be prepared and warrants issued for the arrest of the parties. Watson and Thompson have been arrested, as we have already stated, and are now in the Greensburg jail. Douglass is in Chicago, to which place a telegram for his arrest has been sent. Boon is some place in the oil regions, and Pecci is in jail. Mr. Caleb Greenawalt was examined during the second investigation of the Grand Jury. He was a reluctant witness, but a very important one. He was present at the time of the firing, imploring the participants to desist. The information obtained from him led to the examination of several other witnesses who were present at the time, and it is said that there is strong evidence that the persons whose names are given in the second indictment are the parties who really fired the fatal shots. The trial of the defendants will probably take place during the May term of the Criminal Court.

The Tailoring House of Messrs. T. & J. T. McCance.

It is a source of pride and gratification to the members of a business house, when they can show a record of many years' continuance in the same trade, and well it may be,—for establishments that can withstand the reverses and fluctuations of fictitious finance, supply and demand, must be established on a firm basis. It also proves that the business has been managed with care, circumspection and honesty, and that the public have recognized and supported these same qualities. Our readers have in the Merchant Tailoring establishment of Messrs. T. & J. T. McCance, of 196 Liberty street, one of the oldest, most extensive, most reliable and reputable house of its class in the two cities. It seems like gilding refined gold to say a word of commendation for this house, and yet to those who have not yet been so fortunate as to know, practically, its system of business, we may be pardoned a plain and unvarnished statement of what they may expect in bestowing upon it their patronage. As practice makes perfect, then this firm by its experience has attained a degree of superiority in every department that is in itself an item of no small consequence to the gratification and profit of their customers. Having begun and continued on the principle that the best is the cheapest, they have always made it a point to secure for their patrons such a class of goods as should be their own recommendation. As well might you think of truth and falsehood dwelling together, as to expect to find on the counters of Messrs. T. & J. T. McCance, a piece of goods of an inferior or shoddy character. Deception is a trick they have never learned and those who entrust them with their orders can rest assured that every article, in every particular, shall be true to representation. Neither will argument be used to induce parties to believe in the neatness of a misfit, for the proprietors themselves are the first to point out defects, if any there be, in their manufactures. For excellence of material, lateness of style, neatness of fit, durability of workmanship, and fairness of prices no house in the two cities can offer greater inducements than that of the Messrs. McCance, No. 196 Liberty street.

Office Desks.

We make a specialty of Office Desks, and have now in store an elegant stock to select from.

J. L. LYTLE & Co.,
169 Smithfield street.

Dining Room Furniture

in endless variety at
J. L. LYTLE & Co.'s,
169 Smithfield street.

BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencilings of Passing Events.

····The Market and Police Committees meet to-night.

····The Allegheny School Controllers meet in regular session this evening.

····There were 562,000 bushels of coal shipped to Cincinnati on Saturday from this city.

····During the past month Mayor Phillips, of Allegheny, disposed of one hundred and eighty-three cases.

····The Allegheny County Humane Society meets this afternoon, at three o'clock, at No. 298 Penn avenue.

····An election for officers of the Chamber of Commerce will be held to-day between eleven and one o'clock.

····Two thousand one hundred and twenty-eight tramps were lodged in the Central Police Station during the past month.

····Last month Mayor McCarthy disposed of 383 cases. The receipts of his office were $1,875.95, and from Deputy Mayors $31.75.

····Green neck-ties are beginning to adorn the show windows of the furnishing goods stores. Look out for the vernal equinox.

····The contract for shelving the Sheriff's office was awarded to Alfo Lawton yesterday for $266, by the County Commissioners.

····Burglars made an attempt to "blow" a safe at Jackson's steel work, Eighth ward, Allegheny on Sunday evening, but the attempt was unsuccessful.

····Forty-eight colored puddlers will arrive in the city to-day from Richmond and Danville, Va., to go to work at the Pittsburgh Bolt Works, near Soho.

····The poor of the South Side are still being afforded relief by a generous distribution of bread. Those applying to Rev. F. N. Hertzberger at his residence will receive assistance.

····An action was begun in the Common Pleas, Court No. 1, yesterday by John Sauers against Frederick Worth to recover $3,000 damages for alleged false prosecution and imprisonment.

····An alarm of fire was sounded from box 16 in Allegheny last evening. It was occasioned by some person seeing some smoke come out of a window on Rebecca street. There was no fire.

····Mayor McCarthy yesterday refused to renew the license of Harry Martin, proprietor of the Fourth avenue Can Can establishment. If performances are given now they will be without authority.

····A meeting was held in Steubenville on Saturday to consider the subject of building a bridge across the Ohio river at that place. It was estimated that the proposed obstruction to navigation would cost from $100,000 to $150,000.

····A petition was presented in the Quarter Sessions Court, before Judge Ewing, yesterday, on behalf of George Neubert, Esq., contesting the election of John Barke as Alderman of the Third ward. A rule was granted by the Court returnable the 20th inst.

····The petty spite of the black-mail sheet will now probably subside for awhile, since its ignominious defeat in not having its choice for Mayor sworn in by Councils on Saturday last. Why hadn't it its candidates for Controller and Treasurer also on hand? Bah!

····A horse attached to a wagon ran away on Third street, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon, and the wagon struck a fire alarm pole and broke the pole and also the alarm wires, which caused the taps on the fire alarm bell about five o'clock. The wires were repaired.

····George Davis, who was sentenced to the Penitentiary for 3 years at the November term of the U. S. District Court in 1873 for passing a counterfeit note upon a Fifth avenue cigar dealer, was released from custody yesterday afternoon, having been pardoned by President Grant.

····William Semple's *Ladies' Journal* of Fashion, Art, Science and Literature, for March, is out. It contains illustrations and descriptive articles of all the latest styles in ladies and childrens' costumes, bonnets, hats and &c., besides much useful and entertaining reading on other subjects.

····The Ministerial Association yesterday afternoon discussed the question of "Amusements." The general drift of the arguments were that the public amusements of the day were unworthy of patronage and should be shunned by those who professed to be living a consistent religious life.

····A satchel belonging to Rev. Father Michael Keane, of either Philadelphia or Missouri, and which was found on Saturday near Hazlewood, on the Connellsville Railroad, was brought to the Mayor's office yesterday. It contains a number of documents, all of which, together with the receptacle, will be turned over to Father Hickey.

····Smallpox has made its appearance in Allegheny. Health Officer Hock, reports two persons of one family in a house located at the head of Arch street, as being confined to the house with that loathsome disease, smallpox, and immediately adjoining them lives a family of six persons, who, he says, runs great danger of catching the disease.

····At the meeting held yesterday of the stockholders of the Triumph Oil Company upwards of 37,000 votes were cast, and with the following result, Directors—Josiah King, George P. McBride, Robert C. Schmertz, Hugh Lee, Isaac M. Pennock, George A. Berry, J. M. Snowden, Frank Bahm, and John Scott. Secretary and Treasurer—Wm. Lofter.

····We have been waiting and patiently watching for the advent of a lady actress, singer or reader unaccompanied by a pool dog. De Murska had a clothes basket full of all sizes; Denin had two or three; Siddons had one, likewise Clara Morris, and it is reported that Lotta has a whole litter, and carries with her a regular poodle dog trainer and purveyor. Alas, the dog!

····The will of David E. Park, late of Allegheny, was admitted to probate yesterday morning. James I. Kuhn, Andrew D. Smith and James E. Scott were appointed executors. The wills of Thomas S. Lewis and Alice H. Spencer, both of Baldwin township, were also probated yesterday. Both the wills are dated February 27, 1872, and appoint the same executor, Hon. J. W. F. White.

····Health officer Hoch, of Allegheny, reports the following deaths in that city last week: Still-born, 5; typhoid fever, 2; heart disease, 2; and of the following one each: Cerebro spinal meningitis, old age, dropsy, typhoid pneumonia, chronic bronchitis, acute bronchitis, enteritis, peritonitis, gastritis, congestion of brain and cancer. Total 20; white, 19; colored, 1; male, 10; female, 10.

····Last night about eight o'clock an attempt was made to burglarize a shoe store on Penn avenue, near Ninth street. Officer Moran noticed two parties acting rather suspiciously about the premises and on starting toward them, they started on a run and passed over the Hand street bridge. Upon examination it was found that they had bored a number of holes in the rear door, preparatory to breaking it open.

····The exports of petroleum to Europe, from New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore, in crude equivalent, for the week ending February 22, 1875, amounted to 25,221 barrels. The total exports from these three ports to Europe, from January first this year to February 22d, in crude equivalent amount to 467,255 barrels, as against 756,574 barrels same time last year, a falling off of 389,319 barrels in 52 days time. The average daily exports last year up to February 22d were 14,277 barrels, as against 8,816 barrels this year same time.

····In our issue of yesterday morning we stated that there were three hundred and seventy-five patients at Dixmont who are being supported at the expense of the State. This is substantially true as far as it goes, but in conversation with Dr. Reed yesterday, a representative of this paper learned from that gentleman that besides the above, there are one hundred private invalids within the walls of the hospital undergoing treatment, making a total of four hundred and seventy-five under the care of the management of the institution. The report, as published yesterday, was made by the Legislative Appropriation Committee, at their meeting at the Union Depot Hotel on Saturday night, but they overlooked the inmates not supported by the Commonwealth.

PERSONAL.

***Rev. John Hoerr, of Baltimore, and a brother of Alderman Philip Hoerr, is in the city on a visit.

***Messrs. P. C. Knox and Geo. C. Wilson, of the U. S. Attorney's office, have been admitted to practice in the United States Courts.

***The friends of Mr. George B. McNulty, the efficient weighmaster at the Diamond scales, Allegheny, were glad to welcome him out again after an illness that has confined him to his home for several weeks.

***Officer Henry Beckert of the Allegheny police force, resigned his position on Saturday, to take charge of the position of farmer at the Allegheny Poor Farm, to which he was elected. He has been a member of the force for about five years, and has always made an efficient and active officer.

To Our Readers.

Mr. Max Schamberg, the gentleman whose name has often appeared in the columns of this journal, desires us to say a few words for him to the people of Pittsburgh and vicinity.

He wishes through us to inform the public that he will remain during the present year at his present headquarters, No. 163 Smithfield street, where for many years he has carried on the European Steamship and Exchange business.

Mr. S. is known to us as a gentleman of business qualifications and integrity, zealous and energetic, a man that will always do that which is righteous and abhor and resist all and every wrong.

As we know him thus, he is our neighbor and friend, we have no hesitation in recommending him to the public for any business pertaining to Europe or travelling through this or the European countries.

One branch of his business deserves particular mention, since no other of the same nature exists in this community.

It is the European Law Collection Agency, personally conducted by Mr. Schamberg, by which through most efficient attorneys abroad, inheritances, legacies or other claims can at all times be ascertained and collected.

We indorse Mr. Schamberg's claim on the confidence of our readers and pronounce him trustworthy in every respect.

European Steamship Arrivals Yesterday.

A dispatch received at Max Schamberg's European Steamship, Exchange and Telegraph Office, at No. 163 Smithfield street, announces the arrival of the line steamer Denmark, at New York; steamer Celtic, at New York; steamer Morsel, at New York; steamer Abyssinia, at Liverpool.

AMUSEMENTS.

Pittsburgh Opera House.

"Across the Continent" was produced last night with Oliver Doud Byron as *Joe Ferris*. The play is a very sensational one, full of thrilling situations, but Mr. Byron is a good actor and has many admirers in this city. He acted well last night. The members of the company sustained their parts very creditably.

The Gounod Club.

This evening the opera of "Martha" will be presented by the Gounod Club, as a complimentary testimonial to Mr. Tetedoux. We have no doubt but that a full house will be on hand. The cast is as follows:

Martha..........Mrs. M. A. Woodward
Nancy..........Miss Gertrude Phileo
Lionel..........Mr. Paul Zimmerman
Tristian..........Mr. Clarence Rinehart
Plunkett..........Mr. Paul Boehme
Sheriff..........Mr. James Bebout

"Man and his Masters."

The last lecture of the regular course will be given on Thursday evening, by Mr. Jno. B. Gough, who will discourse on "Man and his Masters." The announcement that Mr. Gough is the lecturer will doubtless be sufficient on this occasion as it has been on others, to fill the house.

Franklin Bowling Hall.

Swinging dumb-bells or Indian clubs is a good method of exercise, but it lacks the attraction of amusement. The Franklin House Bowling Hall, at Nos. 73 and 75 Fifth avenue, offers the combination of exercise and enjoyment, and as a consequence it is well patronized.

Musical and Dramatic Notes.

THE Vokes Family have, says the London *Era*, renewed their engagement with Mr. Chatterton for the next season at Drury Lane.

MISS ADELAIDE PHILLIPS has been obliged to give up all of her Western engagements on account of the serious illness of Mr. Tom Karl, the tenor of her troupe. She has returned to Boston.

WHEN a nice young man hands over eight dollars of his savings for two tickets to Patti, he can't be said to be throwing his money away. It should be remembered that this talented woman has seven poodles to feed.

THE Boston *Sunday Courier* says: "The tenor and soprano in a South End choir are to be married soon. They met by chants, the usual way." Perhaps if they were to in-choir of some married man they might not duet.

NOTWITHSTANDING the claims of Olive Logan, Alice Dunning Lingard is the best dressed woman on the American stage, the faultless symmetry of her form making it possible for her to appear to advantage in anything.

AFTER Emily Soldene departed from Buffalo, the *Express* remarked thusly: "Congress has passed a bill for the 'improvement of the mouth of the Mississippi.' Now why doesn't Miss EMILY S—LD—NE apply to Congress for relief in this respect also."

LUCCA has again been in trouble. She was recently fined 50 florins for violating the edict of the police forbidding all recognition of applause. She is announced to appear as *Frau Fluth* in the opera of that name, and then to take leave of Vienna.

A CRITIC in Philadelphia, in which city Mrs. Rousby, the actress, performed last week, has this to say of her: "Mrs. Rousby was again kindly received, but it is evident that the impression she has produced is not strong. She will not create a sensation in anything she attempts—it is not in her to thrill an audience. She has been foolishly overrated, both as regards her merits as an actress and her beauty as a woman."

A THEATRE-GOER of much experience, alluding to the habit ladies have of wearing their hats at places of amusements, goes into an analysis of exactly what a majority of the fair sex wear upon their heads. He says there is (1) the natural hair; (2) the dead hair, the use of which ultimately kills natural hair; (3) a hat, with a high crown, shaped very much like the men's; (4) a mass of flowers; (5) an artificial insect, bird or beast, sometimes unnatural; (6) an amateur pompon; (7) three are four feathers, the ends of which are left to wave in each passing breeze, or to quiver with emotion of the gentle heart which beats beneath them.

MR. W. IRVING BISHOP has purchased of Miss Matilda Heron her play of Camille, and, acting as her agent, will institute suits against all parties who have been playing the piece within the past two years. This will necessarily make Clara Morris, Mrs. Conway, Mrs. D. P. Bowers, Adelaide Neilson, and others parties to the suits to be instituted. The respective managers at whose theatres Camille has been represented will also be made defendants. Mrs. Rousby was served with a notice prohibiting the production of Camille at Mrs. Conway's Theatre, and after paying the royalty on her performance at the Lyceum and at that theatre, was allowed to proceed.

THE Brooklyn *Eagle* notices the present tendency of fashionable women to the stage, and in support of its assertion that this tendency is growing it says that in New York the stage has lately been crowded by accessions from the drawing-rooms of society. Since the opening of the Fifth Avenue Theater, a large number of women of fashion have made their *debuts* on its boards. There was Agnes Ethel, who achieved quite a popularity. Miss Kellogg, who became leading lady at the Brooklyn Theater; the two Dietz sisters, Linda and Ella, the latter the wife of Edward Clymer, brother of Heister Clymer, of Pennsylvania; Sarah Jewett, now at Daly's; Mrs. Foster, who lately played a star engagement at the Park Theater in Brooklyn. The latest addition is the widow of a late Brooklyn and Cincinnati minister, Mrs. Gaddis.

A WEATHER COMPARISON

The Atmospherical Variations of Two Remarkable Winters.

There have been frequent comparisons of the winters of 1856 and 1875, and the following figures from a well-known observer will therefore be read with interest:

The following is the comparative difference of the winters of 1856 and 1875 in Pittsburgh:

	Max'm Ther.	Min.	Mean.
Dec. 1855....	56	1a	32
Jan. 1856....	36 37-100	7 67-100	16 30-100
Feb. 1856....	42	1 67-100	21 60-100
			69 90-100
Average...			23 30-100

RAIN FALL.

Dec., 1855, 2 20-100; Jan., 1856, 3 10-100; Feb., 1 50-100. Average, 2 20-100.

	Max'm Ther.	Min.	Mean.
Dec. 1874....	56 1-2	19	31
Jan. 1875....	40	6 below	22
Feb. 1875....	35 2-4	11 below	22 1-4
			75 1-4
Average...			25

Rain fall: Dec. 1874, 1 50-100, Jan. 1875, 1 80-100; Feb. 2 30-100—5 60-100. Average 1 80-100.

IN PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND.

	Max'm. Ther.	Min.	Mean.
Dec. 1855-56.	54	15	32 2-10
Jan..........	34	4 30-100	18 60-100
Feb..........	34	3 30-100	22 70-100

Snow and rain fall for three months: twelve inches.

LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS.

	Max'm Ther.	Min.	Average
Dec. 1855....	43	13	18
Jan. 1856....	49	20	33 97-100
Feb. 1856....	65	16	44 12-100
			95 9-100
Average ...			32

Rain fall, 3 month, 12 5-100 inches.

Journals kept by efficient professors in Providence and Arkansas.

Pittsburgh, Mch. 1, 1875. ***

ANTI MONOPOLY CONVENTION.

Meeting at Harrisburg To-day in Opposition to Railroads and Other Corporations.

An Anti-Monopoly Convention is to be held to-day at Harrisburg. It will be composed of delegates from all the Labor Unions in this State. A number of gentlemen left this city last evening to attend it. The call for the Convention is signed by Jno. F. Walsh, George Corbett, and C. Ben Johnson, acting under the authority of the Miner's and Laborers' Benevolent Association of Schuylkill County, an organization comprising a membership of ten thousand. The call says "the purpose of this gathering is to give, in the very presence of our law-makers, organized expression to the conviction of the people of this commonwealth, that they, and not the great railroad and other corporations that have assumed it, are the rightful sovereign power in this State. It is high time, we think, that the people—the entire laboring and business community—should enter a solemn protest—not only against granting further powers and privileges to corporations, but against longer permitting them to so wickedly abuse those they already possess. It is sincerely and prayerfully hoped, therefore, that every organization to which this appeal is addressed will make it a duty to provide for being represented at the convention on the 2nd. proximo."

BANK CONSOLIDATION.

A New National Bank to be Organized in Allegheny.

Yesterday afternoon a meeting of the stockholders of the Allegheny Real Estate Bank was held to take into consideration the propriety of changing the organization to make it come under the National Bank law. Hon. H. S. Fleming presided, and Mr. J. C. Patterson acted as Secretary.

The matter was laid before the stockholders and a vote taken, which resulted in a decision authorizing the change to be made.

A proposition was also made by the Dollar Savings Bank to consolidate with the proposed organization, and it was accepted. Two banks will thus be joined in the new institution, which is to be known as the Third National Bank of Allegheny city. The change will be made as soon as possible, and will probably be consummated within the next two weeks. This change will not, in any way, interfere with the regular business of the banks, but patrons will be accommodated and business be conducted without interruption. The new bank will have a capital stock of $200,000.

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THE COURTS.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

United States District Court.
(*Before Judge McCandless.*)

In the matter of Jas. Tyson, bankrupt of Crawford county, an order was made for the sale of certain promissory notes, book judgments, &c.

In the matter of Collins Bros., bankrupts, of Titusville, the assignee was directed to sell certain book accounts, judgments, safe, &c., one-fourth interest in the firm of Collins, Pool & Co., leases of coal mines, buildings, etc., etc.

In the matter of Lyman Stewart, a petition for adjudication in bankruptcy of himself and others, partners as the Titusville Savings Bank, leave was granted to strike out the names of Wm. T. Neill and others.

In the cases of Waring Bros., and Waring Bros. & Co., of this city, bankrupts, and Holdeship & Co., alleged bankrupts, a restraining order was granted against the Pittsburgh Savings Bank.

In the case of T. A. Briggs, executor of T. W. Briggs, deceased, late owner of the Charles McDonald, against Jas. A. Stewart on motion a monition was issued to respondent.

In the same case, a motion was made to dismiss the bill for want of jurisdiction.

In the case of L. P. Chester vs. "Veteran No. 2," a commissioner was appointed to distribute the fund in Court, and filed his report, which was confirmed.

Samuel Elias, Williamsport, bankrupt. Petition of landlord to sell goods of bankrupt, for rent, referred to Register Smith.

Common Pleas Court No. 1.
(*Before Judges Sterrett & Stowe.*)

The argument list still engages the attention of this Court and will not be completed before Saturday.

Common Pleas Court No. 2.
(*Before Judges Kirkpatrick and White.*)

James Benny, Jr., vs. Charles C. Balsey; an action to recover money alleged to be due on a partnership contract. Jury out.

Eliza Caveney and Peter Caveney vs. Ellen and Edward Coyle. An action to recover damages for alleged false arrest and imprisonment. Verdict for defendants.

John Wilson vs. William L. McGinnis; action on a promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff for $222.19.

A. H. Shaw and James Greenough, owners of S. B. Pennick vs. John B. Dallas et al. On trial.

John W. Renouf, administrator of Nicholas Renouf, deceased, vs. Thomas Renouf; action on a book account. On trial

Trial List for To-day.

McChesney vs. Lanahan et al.
Marshall vs. Boggus.
Moore vs. Schmidt.
McAfee vs. Scott.
Cluley vs. Phillips.
Cluley vs. Phillips.
Wick vs. Garies.
Garies vs. Wick.
Blair vs. Logan.
Blair vs. Gibson.
Jamesville & Washington R. R. & Lumber Co. vs. Thompson.
Styne vs. Heath.

Criminal Court.
(*Before Judge Ewing.*)

The jury is out in the case of the Commonwealth vs. John and Teddy Finn, indicted for felonious assault and battery on oath of Bridget Lavelle.

Patrick Stacks is on trial on a charge of assault and battery.

Trial List for To-day.

Commonwealth vs.

Frank Burch.	Levi Harten.
Wm. Riley.	John White et al.
John Viehman.	Edward Parsons.
Samuel Paisley.	Lenard Strickel.
Edward Brennan.	W. D. Cradge.
Baldey Huntley.	James Lowrie.
John Miller.	Fred Bansinger.
Bernard Speck, (2.)	Samuel Sacket.
George Gillispie.	Mary Jane Hall,
George Hutchison.	J. D. McGowen.

SECESSION IN ALLEGHENY.

The Eleventh Ward Wants to Get Out of the City—The Legislature Urgently Appealed To.

A large meeting of the residents of the Eleventh ward, Allegheny, was held last evening at Eckert's Hotel, in that ward, for the purpose of taking such steps as are necessary to have the Legislature pass an act to allow that ward to withdraw from Allegheny City.

Shortly before eight o'clock the meeting was organized by calling Mr. Wm. Walker to preside and Mr. Wm. Lees to act as Secretary.

The object of the meeting was then stated by the chairman.

Mr. R. H. Kerr presented the following:

Resolved, That we, the people in mass meeting assembled, at the election house, Woods' Run, repudiate and condemn the act which makes us pay tribute to contracts in which we have no benefit, but a heavy expense. We therefore beg the Legislature to repeal the act annexing that part of McClure township, known as the Eleventh ward, city of Allegheny. We beg to state that the said act was passed, notwithstanding a remonstrance was signed by the people of the said district. No vote was taken, nor were the inhabitants apprised of the impending danger. We have been informed that the said remonstrance was not presented in due time, but it was consummated by designing men for personal gain; had it been known our people would have remonstrated against its passage and given it their undivided attention.

We did not or do not now desire to be connected with the city. We therefore as an act of justice to the taxables, beg the General Assembly of our Commonwealth to repeal the obnoxious act, for in its passage it has inflicted on the people a great wrong by an excessive expenditure of money to benefit a few at the expense of the many. We desire to be placed where we stood before its passage—in McClure township—where the people controlled their own affairs with integrity, without dictation from city officials, and in strict justice to the citizens. We hope and trust the Legislature will cut us clear from the city, and for which we will pray for our safe deliverance from dictation and excessive taxation, which are eating out the substance of the poor man with his humble dwelling and lot.

The resolution was adopted.

The same gentleman submitted drafts of two petitions, one to the Senate and one to the House of Representatives, of which the following is a copy.

GENTLEMEN:—We, the undersigned, your petitioners, citizens and taxpayers of the Eleventh ward, Allegheny City, respectfully, but most earnestly appeal to the General Assembly of our Commonwealth to repeal the act which annexes all that portion of McClure township known and designated as the now Eleventh ward of said city. The act was passed without consulting and unknown to our citizens. The question was not submitted to a vote, or the taxables advised or consulted, but, as we understood, done at the instance and cupidity of the few, to plunder the many by false representations to induce its passage. We, therefore, pray the Legislature to, as an act of justice to the people of the district, repeal the act which annexed that portion of McClure township to the city, which was approved on April 3, 1873. We ask and solicit to be divorced, to get back our old name of McClure township, and which comport with the fond desire of the taxables, who have been defrauded by wicked falsehoods to induce the passage of the act. For its repeal we will, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

The petitions were read and approved and both were at once signed by about eighty or ninety persons.

Committees were then appointed to get more signatures to the petitions.

A petition to the City was prepared asking that they request the Legislature to pass the act desired by this meeting.

Adjourned.

ALLEGHENY FINANCES.

Controller Brown's Statement for February.

Following is the statement of Controller Brown, of Allegheny, showing the receipts and expenditures during the month of February:

RECEIPTS.

Markets	$ 1,541 75
Diamond scales	255 42
Second ward scales	258 55
Wharves and landings	35 10
Inspector wood and bark	69 91
Fines and forfeitures	77 00
Delinquent taxes	3,280 30
Ground rents	641 90
Sundry sources	72 05
Sewer Bonds sold	40,328 77
Interest on unexpended balances	38 59
Notes discounted	19,070 50
Grading and paving	831 16
Sewer construction	1,195 60
Opening and widening streets	622 78
Water rents per meter	498 66
" " new building	400 00
" " second assessments	200 00
Poor fund No. 1	4,855 42
" " No. 2	6,407 66

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries	$ 2,794 96
Interest	615 00
Fire Department	8,212 46
Printing	616 21
Streets	7,486 40
Wharves and landings	39 78
Surveys	255 00
Police	3,953 93
Contingent Fund	907 61
Water Works	3,282 81
Gas	5,001 20
City property	115 80
Grading and paving streets	1,221 99
Sewers	1,105 13
Board of Health	100 60
Park Commissioners	579 98
Interest on sewer bonds	122 50
Special assessment for opening and widening streets	1,031 00
Interest on Park bonds	140 00
Poor fund No. 1	5,486 78
" " No. 2	5,000 00
City portion main sewer	400 00
Balance in Treasury Feb. 1, 1875	3,675 68
Receipts for Feb. 1, 1875	90,781 12
Total	$94,356 80
Disbursements for February	48,468 54
Balance on hand March 1, 1875	45,888 26
	$94,356 80

DEPOSITORY ACCOUNT.

German Savings Bank	3,203 89
Franklin Savings Bank	42,108 65
Treasurer's Vault	575 72

Franklin Savings Bank.

The Board of Directors of the Franklin Savings Bank, Allegheny, comprises some of our best known business men. Here is the list. George R. Riddle, J. W. Hall, Simon Drum, George D. Riddle, David Macferron, Robert H. Knox, R. W. Cartwright. MWF

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following deeds were filed for record since our last report:

James Kelly to John Bell, May 1, 1872; lot in Thirty-seventh ward, city, 64x264 feet, with buildings. Price........$1,300

Joseph B. Copeland, Sr., et ux. to Rev. D. A. McCready, February 23, 1875; tract of land in Elizabeth township, containing 119 acres and 119 4-10 square perches, with buildings. Price........$11,750

William McCormick et ux. to Susan Shrum, January 19, 1875; tract of land in Leet township, containing 1 acre. Price........$300

George A. Cochran et ux. to Fanny H. Brant, November 23, 1874; tract of land in Franklin township, containing 30 acres more or less, with buildings. Consideration........$1

John A. Harbaugh et ux. to Albert C. Ellis, February 14, 1875; lot in Twenty-first ward, city, in Mellon's plan of Homewood lots. Price....$1,300

Herman E. Dittig to Ida Geisler, February 25, 1875; lot in Leet township, in the United States Building and Loan Association's plan, 50x120 feet. Price........$400

Christ Geisler et ux. to Herman E. Dittig, February 25, 1875; same lot as above. Price........$400

William A. McClurg to D. L. C. Hall, February 10, 1875; two lots in Etna borough, in George Erdner's plan. Price........$1,600

Sarah C. Campbell to George Gillianders, February 23, 1875; lot on High street, Allegheny, 25x101 feet. Consideration........$1

L. G. Wynkoop et ux. to A. F. Burns, October 30, 1874; lot in Fifth ward, Allegheny, 24x125 feet. Price........$2,200

Mary A. Jones et al. to Sarah A. Ford, December 17, 1874; lot in Eleventh ward, city, in Alexander Mills' plan, 22x120 feet. Price........$159.57

William Rowan et ux. to Walter P. Murphy, January 22, 1875; eleven lots in West Tarentum, 40x120 feet each. Price........$1,142

Sheriff's Poll Deed to A. F. Brooks, December 4, 1874; all the interest of William Kennedy et ux to a lot in Seventeenth ward, city, with buildings. Price........$300

Louis Loth et ux to Jacob Schirmer, December 12, 1874; lot on Nixon street, Allegheny, 20x120 feet. Price........$3,400

The Mansfield Coal and Coke Co. to the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad Company, Feb. 15, 1875; tract of land in Robinson township, containing 61 22-100 acres. Price........$950

Charles Derbold et ux to Andreas Schaefer, July 18, 1874; lot in Seventeenth ward, city, in John Woolslayer's plan. Price........$1,600

Arch H. Rowand, Jr., to K. A. Mackenzie, May 21, 1873; lot in Verona borough, in A. H. Rowand's plan, 25x100 feet. Price........$825

K. A. MacKenzie et ux to Arch H. Rowand, Jr., Feb. 10, 1875; same lot as above. Price........$717

Annie N. Davison to Eliza G. Wallingford, Feb. 16, 1875; lot in Thirteenth ward, city, containing 2½ acres. Price........$10,000

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Sheriff's Poll Deed to J. F. Stockdale, September 10, 1874; all the interest of Emma A. Sproat to a lot in Fifth ward, Allegheny, with buildings. Price........$3,000

Margaret R. Franklin et al. to Robert W. Franklin, February 19, 1875; four lots in the Eleventh ward, city, in William Arthur's third plan, 80x100 feet, with buildings. Price........$16,000

Quit Claim Deed from William Davis et ux. to Henry Sidebotham, June 25, 1874; upper half of lot No. 10, in Seventeenth ward, city, in a plan laid out by the St. Mary's Cemetery and Rev. Michael O'Connor, 12x110 feet, Consideration........$1

Henry Sidebotham et ux. to William Davis, June 25, 1875; lower half of same lot as above. Consideration........$1

William Davis et ux to Hannah Kenworthy, Jan. 21, 1875; lower half of same lot as above. Price........$1,000

Henry Sidebotham et ux to John Kenworthy, Jan. 21, 1875; upper half of same lot as above. Price........$1,000

Ann Duffy et al. administrators, to John C. Bindley, May 21, 1873; lot in Thirteenth ward, city, 24x100 feet, with buildings. Price........$800

Pennsylvania Reform School to Mary Mueller, Feb. 17, 1875; lot in Ninth ward, Allegheny. 1x101¾ feet. Price........$101 75

Frederick Schutte et ux. to Ludwig Rothleder, August 5, 1874; lot in Twenty-fifth ward, city, 20x60 feet. Price........$1,600

James M. Torrence et ux. to Catharine M. Meyer, February 24, 1874; lot in Oakland township, in plan laid out by the heirs of Ruben Tustin, deceased, 20x60 feet. Price........$675

Herman D. Meyer et ux. to James M. Torrence, February 15, 1875; same lot as above. Price........$675

John W. Patterson et ux. to James E. Patterson, February 11, 1875; lot in McKeesport borough, with buildings. Price........$2,500

The heirs of William Baker, deceased, to Jacob Baldinger, January 4, 1875; lot in Seventh ward, city, 20x90 feet, with buildings. Price........$800

Christian Gerst et ux. to John M. Mueller et al., February 6, 1875; lot in Seventh ward, Allegheny, with buildings. Price........$3,000

Charles Ferheyden et ux. to [illegible] Koester, February 20, 1875; [illegible] in the same ward as above, 50x[illegible] feet, with buildings. Price........$4,000

MONDAY, March 1, 1875.

Samuel Walkers et ux. to Charles M. Roberts, February 23, 1875; lot in Elizabeth borough, 60x120 feet. Consideration........$1

John Grazier et ux. to Hugh Newell, February 1, 1875; lot in Twenty-first ward, city, in Grazier & Murtland's plan, 100x112 feet, with buildings. Price........5,500

James Walker to Sarah Smith, February 20, 1875; three lots in Millvale borough, with buildings. Price........$1,200

Same as above to same, February 20, 1875; three lots in same borough as above, with buildings. Price........$1,400

Sheriff's Poll Deed to Susan Soles, December 18, 1874; all the interest of Wm. Fulmer to a tract of land in Wilkins township, with buildings. Price........$490

P. H. Palmer et ux. to Joseph P. Smith, February 13, 1875; tract of land in Twenty-second ward, city, containing 10 acres, with buildings. Price........$13,500

Thomas J. Dowler et ux. to John G. and Eli Dowler, February 25, 1875; undivided third of a lot in Braddock's borough, 50x132 feet, more or less. Consideration........$1

Herman Woehler et ux to Maria L. Frankhauser, December 18, 1874; lot in Twenty-fifth ward, city, 20x120 feet, with buildings. Price........$3,000

Henry Haiser et ux to George Frederick, Feb. 8, 1875; lot in Twenty-fourth ward, city, in W. G. Brown's plan, 20x54½ feet. Price........$1,100

George R. Gray to Martin Gray, May 24, 1873; lot in Union township, with buildings. Price.$1,600

Thomas Smith et ux to Eli Jackson, Jan. 1, 1875; lot in second ward, Allegheny, 20x60, with buildings. Price........$3,500

Peter Nachand et ux to Margaretta Fleck, Feb. 23, 1875; lot in Seventh ward, Allegheny, with buildings. Price........$12,000

Franz J. Fleck et ux to Peter Nachand, Jan. 2, 1875; lot in same ward as above, with buildings. Price........$11,000

Quit claim deed from George Gerst et ux. to Joseph Miller, December 24, 1874; lot in Seventh ward, Allegheny, on Troy Hill, 22¾x92 feet. Consideration........$1

Quit claim deed from same as above to Marzel Zolle, December 24, 1874; lot in same ward as above, on Troy Hill, 22¾x92 feet. Consideration........$1

Sheriffs Poll deed to James Lynn, August 14, 1873; all the interest of John O'Neil to a tract of land in Jefferson township, containing 90 acres 59 54-100 perches, with buildings. Price...$8,100

Same as above to same, June 12, 1873; all the interest of John O'Neil to the following tracts of land: 73 acres and 147 perches in Mifflin township; 62 acres and 58 perches in Jefferson township, together with the stone coal underlying; 14 acres and 112 perches in same township; 126 acres and 50 perches of coal land in same township; 104¼ acres coal land in same township; 106 acres coal land in Mifflin township, together with all the railroads, machinery, &c. Price........$62,500

RESUMING PAYMENT.

The Allegheny Trust Company Paying its Depositors.

On the 15th of last month the first assessment of $50 per share on the stock of the Allegheny Trust Company was called in for the purpose of making a beginning to pay their liabilities. It took some days before all the money was paid in and the necessary books made out to begin paying to the depositors. As everything had been made ready last week it was decided to commence paying to depositors this week at the rate of 25 per cent of what was due them. In pursuance of this action they commenced paying out yesterday and will continue until 25 per cent. has been paid each depositor, and in the meantime arrangements will be made to pay the balance due them just as soon as possible.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

A CALIFORNIA woolen mill has received an order to the amount of $408,000 for the Eastern trade.

THE cotton mills of Columbus, Ga., are reported to have orders for more goods than they can produce.

LAST year 732,195 tons of produce and other commodities were brought by river to St. Louis—a lesser quantity than in 1873, when 801,055 tons were received in that way.

SHIP BUILDING made fair progress in Maine last year. There were 291 ships built there, making 132,390 tons, while in 1873 the number was 235, aggregating about 100,000 tons.

QUICKSILVER is so scarce and dear in Mexico that the Mexican Congress has offered a reward of $20,000 to the first mine producing 500 flasks of that mineral. It is contended by a Mexican metallurgist that it may be procured at 50 places if proper steps are taken to do so.

THE copper industry promises to be prosperous this year. The price is remunerative, and the stock on hand no greater than last year, when it was 10,000,000 pounds. All that is not needed at home can be exported to Europe, which received most of the 9,000 pounds exported last year.

THE construction of a canal from Lake Michigan to the Mississippi River is advocated in Iowa on the ground that it would reduce considerably the cost of carrying agricultural products to the seaboard. One-half the cost of conveying the produce of the upper Mississippi Valley to the seaboard is said to be incurred in sending it by rail across the narrow belt of and between the river and Lake Michigan.

RUSSIA spends her annual revenue of $351,500,000 in this way: Interest of debt, $65,000,000; ecclesiastical, $6,500,000; Imperial family, $6,000,000; foreign affairs, $1,500,000; war, $120,000,000; navy, $15,000,000; finance, $60,000,000; domains (including study), $6,500,000; interior, $30,000,000; public instruction, $9,000,000; public works, $20,000,000; justice, $7,500,000; special for administration of Trans-Caucasus, $4,500,000.

SOME progress has been made in introducing coal-cutting machinery in Great Britain, where the prejudice against it is dying out. In Scotland the machine made by Baird, of Gartsherrie, is in successful use at a number of the principal collieries, while the other machines, such as those of Firth, Winstanley and Hurd, are finding favor in England. The Scotch firm referred to have built a large establishment exclusively for the manufacture of the machine that bears their name.

MODERN WOMEN.

It is a sad commentary upon our boasted civilization that the women of our times have degenerated in health and physique until they are literally a race of invalids—pale, nervous, feeble and back-achy, with only here and there a few noble exceptions in the persons of the robust, buxom ladies characteristic of the sex in days gone by. By a very large experience, covering a period of years, and embracing the treatment of many thousands of cases of those ailments peculiar to Women, Dr. Pierce, of the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., has perfected by the combination of certain vegetable extracts, a natural specific, which he does not extol as a cure-all, but one which admirably fulfills a singleness of purpose, being a most positive and reliable remedy for those weaknesses and complaints that afflict the women of the present day. This natural specific compound is called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. The following are among those diseases in which this wonderful medicine has worked cures as if by magic and with a certainty never before attained by any medicine: Weak back, nervous and general debility, falling and other displacements of internal organs, resulting from debility and lack of strength in natural supports, internal fever, congestion, inflammation and ulceration and very many other chronic diseases incident to women, not proper to mention here, in which, as well as in the cases that have been enumerated, the Favorite Prescription effects cures—the marvel of the world. It will not do harm in any state or condition of the system, and by adopting its use the invalid lady may avoid that severest of ordeals—the consulting of a family physician. Favorite Prescription is sold by dealers in medicines generally.

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LATEST RIVER NEWS.

Specials to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

GREENSBORO, PA., March 1, 1875.
River rising, with about 10 feet water. Weather rainy.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., March 1, 1875.
The river is rising. Weather cloudy; thermometer 43.

BROWNSVILLE, March 1, 1875.
The river is rising, with 11 feet 7 inches in channel. The weather is cloudy; thermometer 46 at 7 P. M.

STEUBENVILLE, March 1, 1875.
River falling, with 12 feet 3 inches. Weather warm and rainy. Passed up—Tiger. Down—Sam. Clark and Hercules. The Forest City resumes her trips to Wheeling to-morrow.

CINCINNATI, March 1, 1875.
River 42 feet 6 inches and rising. Weather cloudy and mild. Arrived—Charles Morgan, New Orleans.

LITTLE ROCK, March 1, 1875.
Weather clear and pleasant. River on a stand, with 2 feet 10 inches.

VICKSBURG, March 1, 1875.
No boats up or down to-day. Warm and cloudy. The river fell 5 inches.

NEW ORLEANS, March 1, 1875.
No arrivals or departures. Weather cloudy and warm this morning; rain to-night.

LOUISVILLE, March 1, 1875.
River rising rapidly, with 15 feet in the canal and 13 feet in Indian chute. Rain at intervals. Arrived—Idlewood, New Orleans. Departed—Thos. Sherlock and J. H. Bigley & Son, New Orleans.

CAIRO, March 1, 1875.
Arrived—H. S. Turner, Cincinnati, 4 P. M. Departed—Belle of Memphis and City of Chester, St. Louis, 1; Indiana, New Orleans, 6. River 27 feet 7 inches and rising. Weather cloudy and cooler; mercury 38.

NASHVILLE, March 1, 1875.
River still rising slowly; 40 feet on shoals. Raining all day, but now clearing up. Arrived—Phillips, Louisville; Burkesville, Cairo; Green, Upper Cumberland. Departed—Burkesville, Cairo.

MEMPHIS, March 1, 1875.
The river rose 29 inches. Weather is clear and warm. Heavy rain storm last night. Departed—Mary Boyd, Arkansas river; Glencoe, Bismarck; City of Vicksburg, St. Louis; Baum, Cincinnati.

ST. LOUIS, March 1, 1875.
Arrived—City of Alton, New Orleans; St. Joseph and Ste. Genevieve, Memphis. Departed—none. River rising fast, with between 9 and 10 feet to Cairo. The gorge at Kimswick has broken and run out. Weather cold; snow to-night and freezing hard.

EVANSVILLE, March 1, 1875.
Rained all night and at times to-day. Wind from the south at 3 P. M., now northwest. Mercury 50 to 60, and falling. River rose 6 feet in the last 24 hours; 25 feet on the gauge. Down—Shipper's Own, 7 A. M.; Raven, 9 A. M.; Shannon, 12.30 P. M.; Arlington, 3 P. M.; [illegible]wild, 5 P. M. Up—Geo. Roberts, 8 A. M.; Morning Star, 10 A. M.; Silverthorn, noon; J. D. Parker, 3 P. M.; Arkansas Belle, 4 P. M.; Bowling Green, 5 P. M. Business good.

The Wrong Side of the Meridian.

On the down hill side of life, which an old medical writer quaintly terms "the wrong side of the meridian," when the functions decay and the frame gradually bends under the weight of years, the system requires to be sustained under the burden imposed upon it. Innumerable physical ailments and infirmities then press upon it to which it had been in earlier life a stranger. The surest and pleasantest support and solace of declining years is found in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, long recognized as the most wholesome and agreeable of diffusible stimulants, the most potent of tonics and alteratives. The aged and infirm may place implicit confidence in this invigorating elixir, which not only checks those maladies to which elderly persons are peculiarly subject, but in a measure retards the encroachment of time upon the constitution.

DIED:

McCANDLESS—At Homewood station, Monday, March 1, 1875, at 3 o'clock, ANDREW McCANDLESS, in the 35th year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

HOLMES—At one o'clock Tuesday morning, March 2d, at his late residence, No. 35 Sixth avenue, NORVAL HOLMES, in the 64th year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

McNISH—At 6:55 Sunday evening, February 28th, 1875, Mr. CHARLES A. McNISH, aged 39 years and 9 months, brother of Mr. A. M. McNish, of this city.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on TUESDAY, March 2d, at 2 o'clock P. M., from his late residence, 15 Third street.

(Port Jervis, N. Y., papers please copy.)

WILLIAMS—On Sunday morning, February 28, at her residence, at the Copper Works, Mrs. MARY WILLIAMS, aged 72 years and 7 months.

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